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3 JAPANESE SCOUTING PLANES OVER TIENSIN THIS MORNING

LANGRIDGE'S FINE FEAT FOR SUSSEX

Notts Trounced At Hove.

YORKSHIRE TRIUMPH

Freeman and Verity In Brilliant Form

London, To-day.
The best all-round individual feat of the season gave Sussex their third win of the cricket season. James Langridge scored 101 and took 6 for 32 against Notts to give the southern county victory by 10 wickets at Hove.

Yorkshire followed up their success against Derbyshire by winning against Essex in another low scoring game, and thus maintained their 100 per cent record.

Verity, with 11 for 74, dismissed Essex for totals of 64 and 68 to follow up his 12 for 53 against Derby. A. B. Sellers showed complete confidence in his Test bowler by declaring the Yorkshire innings at 128 for 4—leaving Essex 66 to save the innings defeat.

Fine bowling by Mitchell, another member of Jardine's team, enabled Derbyshire to record a comfortable win over Somerset, their first success of the season.

C. F. Walters, formerly on the Worcestershire ground staff, came on terms with Watson, of Lancashire, when he scored his second century in the County Championship. Scoring 226 in masterly style he was largely responsible for Worcester's total of 382 against "Tich" Freeman's deadly "shows." In the second innings, which they commenced 63 runs in arrears of the Kent total, Worcester collapsed, before Freeman and were dismissed for 119, Kent winning by 9 wickets.

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Results as cabled by Reuter were as follow:

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Derbyshire beat Somerseshire by 7 wickets at Ilkeston.

Somerset: 87 (Mitchell 5 for 10); 182 (Townsend, 5 for 58).

Derby: 81 (A. Macdonald Watson 5 for 27) and 191 for 3.

Kent beat Worcestershire by 9 wickets at Gravesend.

Worcester: 383 (C. F. Walters 226, Freeman 8 for 110); 119 (Freeman 6 for 48).

Kent: 446 (Ashdown 108, Fair-service 110) and 58 for 1.

Sussex beat Notts by 10 wickets at Hove.

Sussex: 445 (Langridge (James 101); 23 for no wicket.

Notts: 227 (Langridge (James 6 for 32), and 239.

Yorkshire beat Essex by 10 wickets at Dewsbury.

Essex: 64 (Verity 5 for 84); 68 (Verity 6 for 40).

Yorkshire: 128 for 4 dec., and 5 for no wicket.

Middlesex beat Gloucester by 39 runs at Lord's.

Middlesex: 376 (Hearne 145 not out, Binfield 5 for 90); 248 for 8 dec.

Gloucester: 229 and 351 (Hammond 178).

FRIENDLY.

West Indies beat Cambridge University by 10 wickets at Cambridge.

West Indies: 269 (Headley 75); 7 for no wicket.

Cambridge: 104 and 171.

ICELAND'S COMMERCIAL PACT WITH BRITAIN

Agreement Signed At Foreign Office Yesterday

London, To-day.
A commercial agreement with Iceland was signed at the Foreign Office yesterday by the Icelandic Minister to Denmark, M. Bjornson, the British Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, and the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Walter Runciman.

The terms will be made known in a few days.—British Wireless Service.

AMERICA AND JAPAN TRIUMPHANT

Sweeping Victories In Davis Cup.

GERMANY AND S. AFRICA LEADING OPPONENTS

America and Japan fulfilled expectations in the Davis Cup by eliminating Canada and Ireland respectively.

Three other Second Round European Zone ties were commenced yesterday with the following results:

Germany	2	Holland	0
S. Africa	2	Switzerland	0
Italy	1	Austria	1

Japan Beats Ireland.

Dublin, To-day.

Winning their doubles match in four sets against the Irish pair yesterday R. Nunoi and Jiro Satoh sent Japan into the Third Round of the European Zone of the Davis Cup by a 3-0 triumph.

Japan will now meet either Australia or South Africa.

Scores as cabled by Reuter:—

R. Nunoi and J. Satoh (Japan) beat Lyttleton Rogers and J. McGuire 6-3, 8-6, 3-6, 6-2.

Earlier Results.

R. Nunoi (Japan) beat Lyttleton Rogers 7-5, 6-3, 7-5.

J. Satoh (Japan) beat J. McGuire 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

America Win Final

Montreal, To-day.

The United States defeated Canada by 3 matches to nil in the North America Zone Final yesterday when John Van Ryn and G. M. Loft won their doubles match in straight sets.

America will now meet the Argentine in the Inter-Zone Final.

Scores as cabled by Reuter:—

J. Van Ryn and G. M. Loft (U.S.A.) beat J. Wright and M. Rainville 6-1, 6-3, 6-3.

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LIBERALS TO JOIN OPPOSITION.

Constructive Criticism Of Government.

London, To-day.

The Liberal Party Conference at Scarborough yesterday decided by a large majority, that the Liberal Parliamentary Party, which at present sits on the Government side of the House of Commons, be asked to cross the floor of the House, as constructive criticism of Government measures and policy would be most effectively presented from the Opposition benches.—British Wireless Service.

GERMANY ACCEPTS MACDONALD PLAN

APPROVED AS BASIS FOR DISARMAMENT

"PROOF OF SPIRIT OF GERMAN MODERATION"

GENEVA, To-day.

GERMANY HAS ACCEPTED MR. RAMSAY MACDONALD'S PLAN AS A BASIS FOR A FUTURE DISARMAMENT CONVENTION. IN SO FAR AS GERMANY MAY PROPOSE ANY MODIFICATION THEY WILL CONFORM TO THIS NEW DECLARATION.

The anxiously awaited declaration by the German delegate to the Geneva Disarmament Conference, was made yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the General Commission of the Conference; when Dr. Nadolny accepted the British plan, "Not only as we have done up to now, as a basis of discussion, but as the basis of the future Disarmament Conference itself."

Dr. Nadolny, thought that Germany's declaration constituted sufficient proof of the spirit of moderation in which Germany was working towards the realisation of the Convention, and he trusted that other States would do their utmost to make their interests fit within the framework of the British plan.

Captain Anthony Eden, welcomed Dr. Nadolny's statement. His conversations with Dr. Nadolny last week, he said, had not been "crowned with glory," but he was ready to continue conversations in hope of better results.

They had now reached the decisive stage of the Conference, and on behalf of Britain he heartily welcomed President Roosevelt's message, especially his support of Mr. MacDonald's plan, which was an attempt to seek a basis that would be universally accepted.

Dr. Nadolny's speech was preceded by a statement by the Chairman, Mr. Arthur Henderson, who having laid before the meeting President Roosevelt's peace message, which, inter alia, urged the acceptance of the British draft convention by the Conference, made an earnest appeal for the withdrawal of the amendments which have obstructed the progress of the Conference.

He referred also to Chancellor Hitler's speech, and to the points of similarity between it and President Roosevelt's pronouncement, which sets particular attention to Chancellor Hitler's statement that he aimed not at equality of armaments, but at equality of disarmament.

He appealed to all the delegations to make an effort at mutual understanding and concessions.

"RIGHT TO EQUALITY."

Following Mr. Henderson, Dr. Nadolny said that Chancellor Hitler's speech had clearly expressed the will of Germany to arrive at an understanding, and her sincere desire to collaborate in the establishment of durable peace. The German people continued to demand that the Conference should guarantee the Disarmament of the strongly-armed States and the recognition of German right to equality of disarmament.

Industrial, rail, utility and bond averages showed slight weakness.

REHABILITATION OF SILVER.

Washington, To-day.

Senator Pittman has announced a six-point programme for the rehabilitation of silver, on which he said: "all nations, with which the United States had recently discussed the subject are in agreement." The countries include Canada, Mexico, Great Britain, Argentina and China.

The main point is that the price of silver should be reasonably raised and substantially stabilized around the point at which we are collaborating in the realization of the convention. I hope other States will similarly make their own statements.



Mr. Alan Monkhouse, formerly chief engineer of Metropolitan Vickers in Moscow, seen with his wife, son and daughter at his home at Harpenden, Hertfordshire. Mr. Monkhouse, who was deported with other British engineers after being convicted by the Russian Supreme Court on charges of sabotage and espionage, arrived in England on April 23.—(S. & G.)

NAZI TERROR IN FREE CITY OF DANZIG

HITLER TROOPS BREAK UP MEETING.

GOVERNMENT PARTIES STRONG PROTEST.

Shanghai, To-day.

In spite of the fact that more than 100 persons are reported to have been killed and injured when an unknown miscreant hurled a bomb in the railway station at Tientsin last night, foreign messages state that only one person was killed and several injured.

The statement demands the deportation of Herr Lassmann, Deputy Prussian Landtag, who headed the party of Nazis who broke up the meeting of the Government Party at Danzig yesterday. The meeting was to have been addressed by Doctor Ziehm, President of the Senate.

Dr. Rosting, acting League High Commissioner at Danzig, has arrived in Warsaw and has conferred with the Polish Foreign Minister on the situation at Danzig.

Events were precipitated at Danzig on May 12, when local Nazis seized the Trade Union headquarters and hoisted the Nazi flag. "Storm Troops" police and "Brownshirts" took part in the coup, which was carried through without disturbance.

A strike was declared at 11 a.m. on Saturday last as a protest against the occupation of the building, but only part of the city's industries and utilities were affected.

HERTZOG - SMUTS COALITION

WIN 137 OF 150 SEATS IN ASSEMBLY.

SOUTH AFRICA'S ELECTION

Cape Town, To-day.

It is anticipated that the new South African Legislative Assembly will consist of 137 Coalition members, four Labour members and nine miscellaneous party members.

Among the other appointments stated are those of Mr. J. S. McLaren to be Deputy Estate Commissioner and Assistant Colonial Treasurer with effect from today, and Messrs. J. T. McNaughton and W. Mol. Smith, members of the Free Brigade, to be Government Inspectors under the Gunpowder Act. Fireworks Ordnance.

Seventy-eight constituencies returned Coalition unopposed. Reuter

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GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS.

ALARM IN TIENSIN RIFLE FIRE IN JAPANESE CONCESSION

CAUSE OF DETONATIONS NOT YET ASCERTAINED

Tientsin, To-day.

Commencing at 11.40 p.m. yesterday a series of detonations and occasional rifle-shots were heard from the section of the Japanese Concession adjoining the native city.

It is impossible to ascertain the cause as the Japanese Concession has been closed.

The opinion is stated, that this marks the inauguration of the predicted local Sino-Japanese conflict. Reuter

3 PLANES CIRCLE OVER CITY.

NO BOMBS OR LEAFLETS DROPPED.

Tientsin, To-day.

Three Japanese scouting planes came in from the east at 8.10 a.m. this morning. They circled over the city for five minutes and made off in the direction from which they had come.

No explosions were heard and no leaflets were dropped, and the visit was presumably in connexion with last night's disturbances. Reuter

EARLIER FLIGHT AT 6 AM.

Tientsin, To-day.

It now transpires that another and earlier visit by Japanese planes was made at about 6 a.m. this morning.

Presumably, the scouts belong to the Japanese aircraft-carrier which has been anchored off Taku Bar since Saturday last. Reuter

11 PLANES OVER PEKING.

Peking, To-day.

Eleven Japanese bombing planes are this morning hovering over the city at a low altitude, and anything is to be expected. The city is prepared for all eventualities. Reuter

JAPANESE PREMIER MAY RESIGN.

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The WOMAN'S Page



WHEN BABY GROWS HUNGRY.

Feeding On Scientific Basis.

DIGESTION QUESTION.

The human digestion is a very wonderful complex piece of machinery, of a most obliging nature. No matter what food is offered, every effort will be made to digest it, and sometimes, on the weird menus, a child will apparently thrive, and the mother complacently point the finger at all this fuss about food facts.

Continued efforts to digest food of a wrong constitution and balance, however, are constantly undermining the efficiency of the machinery—just as the wrong oils, or lack of them, will, in time, spoil the best make of car. How soon the breakdown will show depends on the gravity of the errors, and on the strength of the original machinery.

Common sense—that friend of all mothers—teaches us that if nature has provided a very satisfactory model, the best thing we can do is to copy it when we cannot actually provide it. How then can we copy breast-milk?

Proportions of Solids.

The milk of all mammals has many things in common, but equally many diversities. Whether the milk of cow or goat, or buffalo, or reindeer be considered, each will have to be altered by one means or another if it is to be given to the human baby. They have been designed for special climatic conditions; special rates of growth; and special types of digestion.

After the proportions of the solids found in these milks to resemble the proportions of the solids found in mother's milk, and you have a food which is going to prove satisfactory in the average case. You must remember, however, that a great many cases in which the bottle is used are not average—they follow on early experiments of one kind or another which have damaged the digestive organs and hence further modifications and adaptations, to rest the little digestion and re-educate it, may be temporarily required.

With Cow's Milk.

Cow's milk is now almost universally used as the basis of bottle-feeding; and this, whether dried super-heated or fresh, contains, on the average, about the same amount of fat, less sugar, and nearly three times as much protein as breast milk.

To give an excess of protein can do no good at all; because it is just an extra strain on delicate organs. Our first duty, then, is to bring the protein in the cow's milk down, approximately, to that found in breast milk but in doing so we unavoidably equally reduce the sugar and fat.

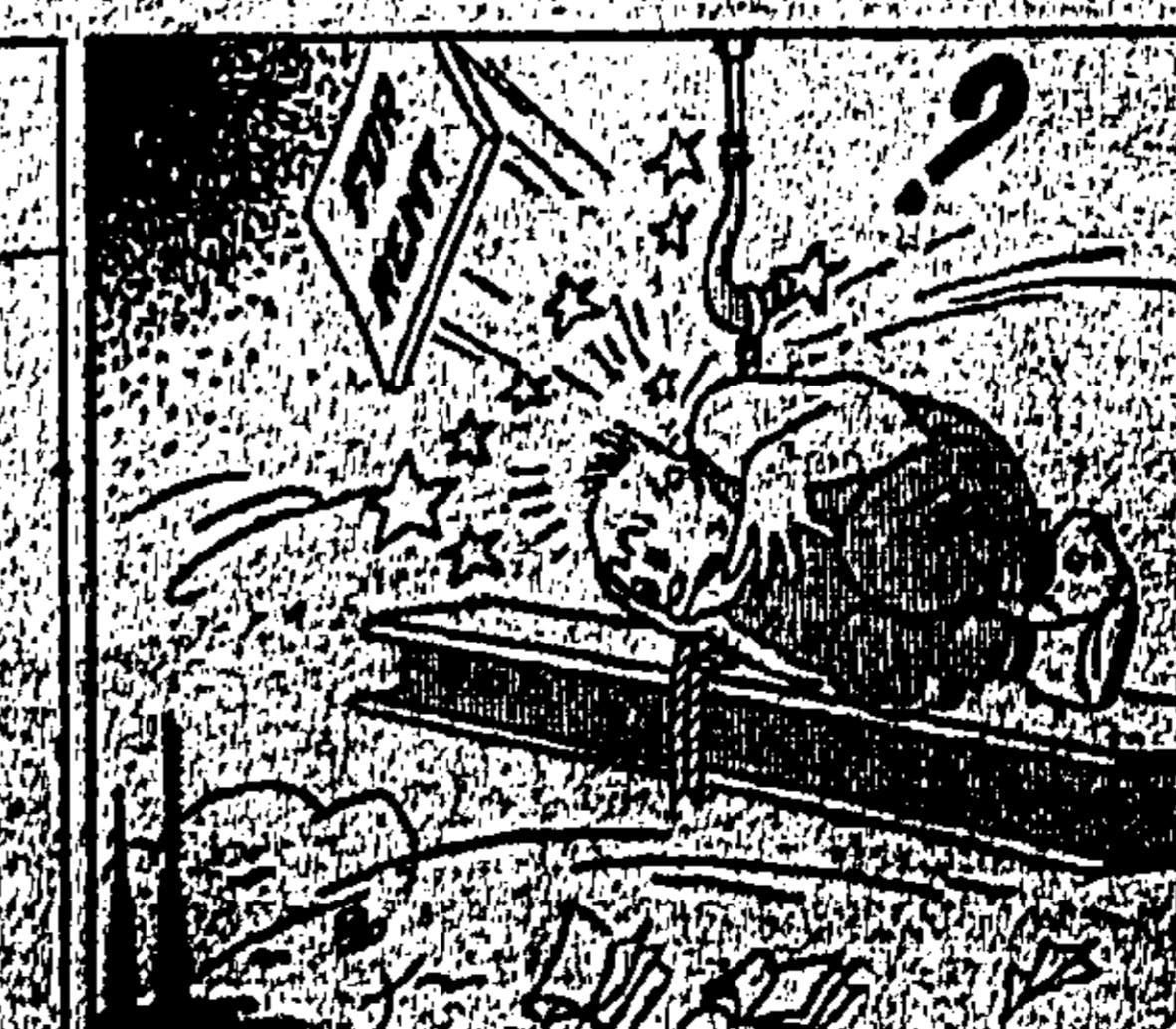
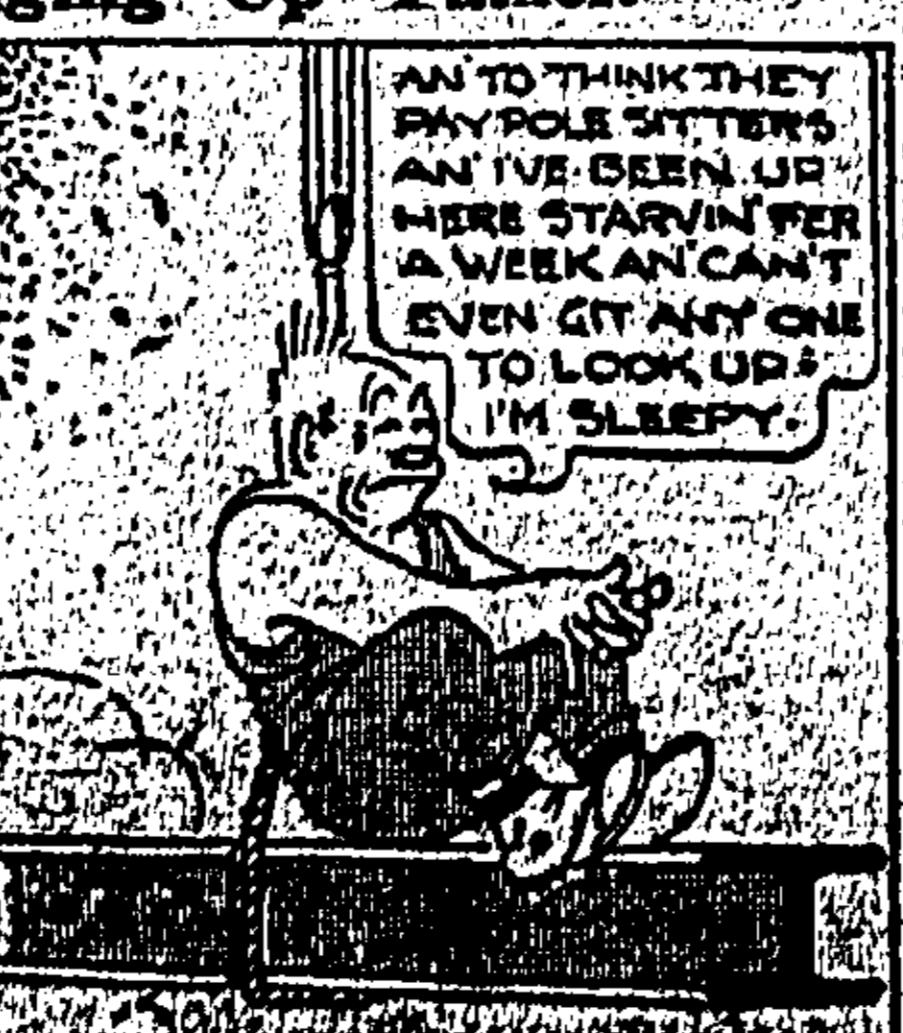
These, then, are replaced by a certain amount of sugar of milk and of cod liver oil emulsion, so that the finished mixture is of exactly the same nourishing powers as breast milk. A little lime water renders the cow's milk more alkaline, and breaks up the curd.

Making the food is simple. Cool down the boiling water, and dissolve the sugar thoroughly before mixing milk and water together; add lime water and see that the whole stands in cold water covered with muslin between feeds.

PALE BLUE POPULAR.

Pale blue satin, shiny or dull, and black varnished satin are now the evening fashion. At the theatre pale blue is one of the colours to catch the eye. It may be worn with a velvet wrap.

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The bath that is hot or warm brings the blood with a rush to the skin of the entire body. The quick cold splash following further speeds up the circulation.

This scientific bath habit is an excellent one for more reasons, however, than pepping up circulation. If you have "nerves," sleepless nights, or spells of easily catching cold the right kind of bath will help to banish such depressing ailments.

Bathing for a cold that you already have caught follows the good old-fashioned routine. Make the bath good and hot and stay in it about ten minutes. A glassful or two of water while you are in the tub will help to start perspiration.

SIMPLE LINES.

Sports models are designed on simple practical lines to allow ease of movement. Frocks are generally fashioned with short cap sleeves. Jackets are straight while skirts are cut with a few kick pleats in the back or front and finished with hems from 10 to 12 inches from the ground.

COCKTAIL NAMED "DOG'S" NOSE.

Hot Drink Suitable For Winter.

What will probably become a prime favourite at winter cocktail parties was introduced by an enterprising hostess to her guests the other evening.

It was a hot cocktail which went by the name of "Dog's Nose."

The recipe was as follows: One bottle of old ale and one glass of sherry, brought to boiling point, brown sugar rubbed in lemon, cloves, cinnamon ginger, and nutmeg to taste, with a dash benedictine.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.

CONFERRING	SHEARS
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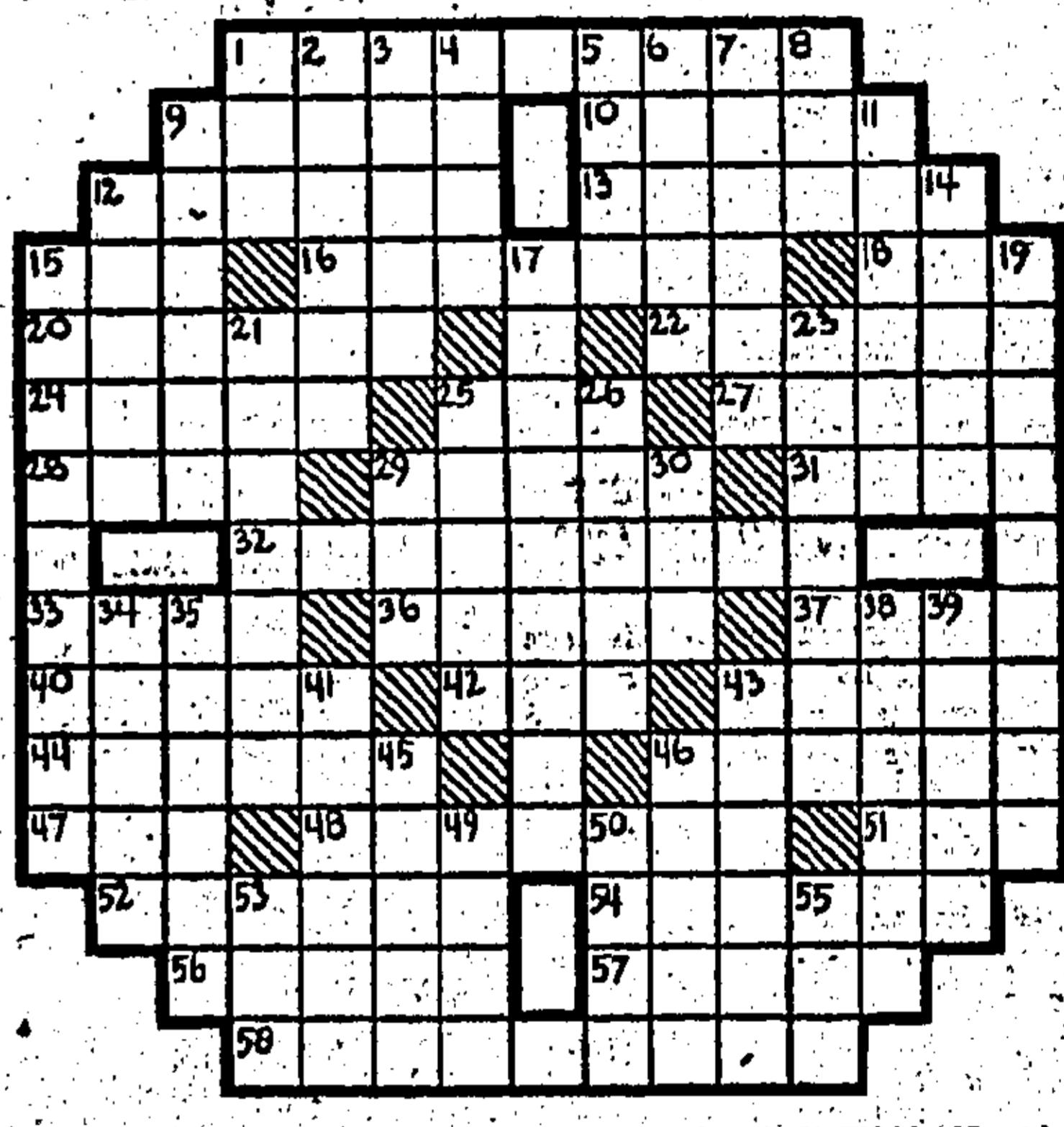
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL (Cont.)		VERTICAL (Cont.)	
1-Stubborn	16-Without stain	15-Series (abbr.)	1-Positive command
2-Venturer	17-Becomes white as a person excluded from sun-light	2-Rub out	2-Error in writing (Lat.)
10-Rub out	23-Solance of the earth	12-Quiet	25-Mistake
12-Quiet	26-A god	13-Period of time (abbr.)	28-Roman goddess of the earth
13-Be sorry for.	30-Railway Station	15-A lover	31-Goddess (abbr.)
15-Period of time (abbr.)	32-Omics (abbr.)	16-A cleansing agent (pl.)	34-Bury
16-A flower	33-Covers with wax	17-Covers with wax	35-Traps
18-Part of the foot	34-Invested with royal power	19-The dried leaves of a plant used as a drug	36-Old women
20-Girl's name	21-Propeller	20-General tendency	37-Older
22-Silvery	22-To give command to	21-Drug used as an emetic	38-Emetic
24-Active	23-Combining form.	22-Demand repetition	41-A compress (Sung.)
25-Finish	24-To cover with todium?	23-Combat	42-Helper
27-Aceagagh	25-Proprietary name	24-Mail candies	43-A hump
28-River in Bohemia	26-Official valuation	25-Compass point (abbr.)	44-A compress
29-To give command to	27-Catalyst	26-Dirge	45-Air mail
30-Girls' name	28-Softly (Mus.)	27-Dirge	46-Complaint
32-Name	29-Combining form.	28-Dirge	47-Dirge
34-Name	30-Combining form.	29-Dirge	48-Dirge
35-Name	31-Combining form.	30-Dirge	49-Dirge
36-Name	32-Combining form.	31-Dirge	50-Dirge
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38-Name	34-Combining form.	33-Dirge	52-Dirge
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58-Name	54-Combining form.	53-Dirge	

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in Monday's issue.

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BRIDGE NOTES**FORCES IN RESPONSE.**

(By John Darracq.)

A correspondent writes to me in great tribulation over a disaster which befell him as a result, he says, of following my instructions.

There was no score in the Rubber game.

At South he held:—

SPADES: x x

HEARTS: A K x x x

DIAMONDS: x x x

CLUBS: K x x

and bid One Heart. West called One Spade and North Three Diamonds (a force).

When the call came to South again, he thought it out in this way, "I must call—but I have already called my hand to its full value. I am not worth Three Hearts. I must therefore make my conventional minimum response of Three No Trumps."

Three No Trumps, accordingly, he called, and had six tricks made in Spades against him before he got in.

Of course he was wrong. Nor was he following my instructions at all. It is strange that forcing take-outs should lead so often to quite unnecessary confusion.

Granted that following a forcing take-out from your suit by partner you must keep the bidding open, and granted that the bid in No Trumps constitutes your minimum response.

If, however, there has been an intervening bid before your partner's force, a response of No Trumps from you must mean that you cover your opponent's suit.

Otherwise, you must rebid your own suit, even if it is only four.

Furthermore, it is very easy in these circumstances to gauge exactly what your partner holds.

On the hand shown above, partner must have at least six Diamonds to the A K and A Q of Spades.

Circumstances may arise, of course, when partner is privileged to force on a smaller holding. A very good example occurred in play the other night.

NORTH

SPADES: A Q x

HEARTS: x x

DIAMONDS: A Q J x x

CLUBS: K x x

WEST

SPADES: x

HEARTS: K Q J 10 x x x

DIAMONDS: K x x

CLUBS: x x x x

SOUTH

SPADES: K x x x x x

HEARTS: A x x

DIAMONDS: x

CLUBS: A x x

North South Vulnerable

East West Love

The bidding went as follows omitting passes.

South One Spade

West Two Hearts

North Four Diamonds

South Four No Trumps

North Five Spades

South Seven Spades

I was the South in question, and I feel that I must give some account of my initial bid.

Most authorities frown on an initial bid, when vulnerable, on only 2½ honour tricks. I am myself admittedly conservative, but I am strongly in favour of bidding, whether vulnerable or not, if you hold the 2½ honour trick minimum. In this particular instance, with six of my suit, I would consider it a crime not to call.

The following successful competitors are requested to call at the offices of the China Mail on Monday, when the prizes in connection with this competition may

West was certainly wrong to bid only two Hearts. He had a pre-empting hand and should have called Three. As it was, his timed bid enabled me to place the important King of Diamonds with him for a certainty. If he had called Three Hearts, he need have held nothing but his own suit.

It is North's force, however, which is interesting. At first glance it might appear that he had not force in his hand, and in any case that his Diamonds were not good enough to force in. North, however, was a cool player. What he did say was that a Slam was probable. My 2½ honour tricks must include the Ace of Hearts and the Ace of Clubs. Apart from these I must have a king, probably the King of Spades. It was not improbable that I held the King of Diamonds and the Queen of Clubs as well, or one or other of them.

North, in fact, wished to encourage me to a slam. If he had called Five Spades, he would puzzle me as to his holding. Accordingly he forced with Four Diamonds.

My reply of Four No Trumps was obvious. I had already called my hand, but I had the Ace of the opposing suit.

Still knowing nothing of the King of Diamonds or Queen of Clubs, my partner only tentatively indicated the Slam by showing that my Spades suited him very well.

I now saw that I was going to get discards of my losing Hearts and Clubs on his Diamonds, and that the grand slam almost certainly to be had.

The play of the hand went as follows:

WEST

Hearts: K

Spades: x

Hearts: x

Spades: x

DIAMONDS: x

Spades: x

Hearts: x

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(2) Traditional Irish Air.

(3) March of the Men of
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(4) Scots Wha Hae.

(5) English Airs.

d. From "Jack's the Boy".
(1) I want to cling to Ivy.
(2) The file crawled up the
window.

Finale—**RULE BRITANNIA**.

PRADIO

TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor & H.M.V. records.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.

1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded Music will be broadcast from the Studio).

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

Two Studio Concerts to-night.

DANCE MUSIC.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

7-11.30 p.m.—European programme.

7-7.30 p.m.—Variety.

Orchestral—

Tell me With a Love Song

Paul Whiteman & His Orch. 22834.

Song—

Under the Moon

Grace Fields (Comed.) B2758.

Violin Solo—

Do You Know my Garden?

Renee Chemet 1270.

Song—

I've Got a Feeling for Somebody

Anona Winn (Soprano) B2745.

Orchestral—

Cuban Love Song

Paul Whiteman & His Orch. 22834.

Humorous Song—

Our Avenue

Grace Fields (Comed.) B2758.

Violin Solo—

No One Knows

Renee Chemet 1270.

Song—

Together

Anona Winn (Soprano) B2745.

7.30-8 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Vocal Recital by Mr. A. R. Brumby accompanied by Mrs. Brumby.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report, Special Announcements, etc.

8.10-9 p.m.

Symphony No. 7 in C Major

(Schubert)

London Symphony Orch. con-

ducted by Doctor Leo Blech

M-33.

9.30-11.30 p.m.—From the Studio.

Selections by "Andrew Chan's Hawaiian Troubadours."

Programme

1. Opening Selection—

Marche Militaire.

2. Moonlight on the Colorado—

Waltz.

3. Teasin' the Frets—

Ukulele Solo by H. S. Wong.

4. The Rosary—Guitar Solo by

Andrew Chan.

5. (a) A Year from To-day—

Vocal Solo by K. A. Pang.

(b) Cheatin' on Your Baby—

Vocal Solo by K. A. Pang.

6. Medley of Hulas—Fox Trot

7. Closing Selection—"Na Leo O Hawaii"

9.30-11.30 p.m.—A relay of the

Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra

from the Hong Kong Hotel's Grill Room, by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.30 p.m.—Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutte & Co.

AUSTRALIA'S HUGE PUBLIC DEBT.

£1,197,103,605 Reached Last Year.

Gambetta.

Australia's total public debt had reached £1,197,103,605 at December 31, 1932, according to a statement in the Commonwealth Gazette.

The total comprised a State debt of £802,078,834 and Commonwealth debt of £395,016,770.

The Commonwealth debt was made up of war debt £284,768,233 and £112,388,580 borrowed for works and other purposes.

Of the total Australian debt, £298,504,472 is held in Australia, £561,519,816 in London, and £47,079,318 in New York.

The annual interest bill on these liabilities is £51,028,869 of which £28,283,000 is payable in Australia, £25,375,000 in London, and £2,365,000 in New York.

War debt interest costs the Commonwealth Government £12,586,000 a year, as against £4,889,000 for interest on the world's debts obtained by them from England.

Final—RULE BRITANNIA.

HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Orders issued by Colonel L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.H.E., Commandant H.K.V.D.C.:—

Hong Kong, Friday, May 19.

PARADE.

Corps Band.

The Band Practice will take place on Tuesday, May 23 and Friday, May 26, 1933.

The Battery.

There will be a parade for Lewis Gun Instruction at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, May 25 at Headquarters.

Armoured Car Section.

The Section will parade on Monday, May 22 at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. for a Lecture on the New Chassis.

A.A.L.A. Company.

As from May 1, parades will be held only on 1st Monday of each month (repeated).

Anzac Company.

The Company will parade at full strength in Mufti with belt and side-arms on Monday, 22nd instant at 5.30 p.m. Those detailed for the Colour Party are asked to make special point to attend, as there is but a limited time available for parades before King's Birthday on Friday, May 26 at 5.30 p.m., and all N.C.O.s are requested to attend.

The Officers Commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their Commands:—

Corps Signal.

Motor Machine Gun Section.

Machine Gun Company.

Scottish Company.

Portuguese Company.

Promotions.

No. 1539 Pte. M. N. Cochrane,

Machine Gun Troop, promoted

Lance Corporal with effect from

19.5.33.

No. 1567 Pte. R. A. Fawcett,

Machine Gun Troop, promoted

Lance Corporal with effect from

19.5.33.

Leave.

No. 728 Sergt. A. W. Salter, En-

Engineer Company, granted seven

months' leave with effect from

19.5.33 to 18.12.33.

AFTER ORDERS.

Motor Machine Gun Section.

Parade at Headquarters at 5.30

p.m. on Monday, May 22, 1933 for

Machine Gun Instruction.

Gloucester Lounge.

New Project Reported.

It is learned that the portion of

the Gloucester Building facing Pe-

derer Street, is to be converted into

a lounge. It is expected that the

new lounge will be ready for use in

September.

Several shops in the wing of the

building concerned, have already

removed to other parts of the

building.

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beck. Subject: "Why Preach?"

Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher:

Rev. Erris C. H. Tribbeck. Subject:

"The other man's point of view."

At the Sailors & Soldiers' Home.

Sunday May 21.

Christian Social Hour 8.30 p.m.

Monday May 22.

Badminton Club 7 p.m.

Tuesday May 23.

Fellowship Meeting 8 p.m.

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There was a church of that name there, but the directors, fearing that the tower might be used as a point of attack against the Bank, had it pulled down.

Inside the Bank is a court which was the grave yard of the old church.

Rubber Heeled Horses.

Successful experiments have been carried out by a rubber company to test the practicability of rubber heeled and toed shoes for horses.

The majority of accidents to draught horses arise from slipping on the wet and greasy surfaces of modern streets, and it has been found that the anti-slip iron studs used as a protection on icy surfaces accentuate rather than decrease the danger.

The rubber pads are constructed on metal tugs which can be replaced without removing the shoe from the hoof, and the rubber acts as an absorber of the shock of constant pounding on paved streets.

Guarding The King.

The King's Body Guard is not the Brigade of Guards, but three ancient corps, the oldest of which was formed by Henry VII.

The Yeomen of the Guard, founded in 1485, consists of 110 officers and men, with a captain, whose salary is £1,200 a year. They are employed on all state occasions.

The Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms was founded in 1509. They are in attendance at coronations and levees. The captain's salary is £1,000.

In Scotland, the King's Body Guard is the Royal Company of Archers.

The Beefeaters, who are warders of the Tower of London, are not included in the Royal Body Guard.

Facts You Did Not
Know.

Virtually unbreakable flashlight bulbs are being made of a crystal that also makes them available for surgical purposes as they can be sterilized.

Compressed air blown from slots under the stern of a shallow draft boat of French invention propels the craft at a speed of nearly 40 miles an hour.

A new desk thermometer resembles a clock, a hand being moved backward and forward over a dial as a piece of thermostatic metal contracts or expands.

Since 1924 the German government has built 1,751,688 apartments or single dwellings, designed especially to house the poorer population of cities.

The invention of a Nebraska nurseryman, a motor truck has been constructed to pick up and carry whole trees to new locations where they are to be transplanted.

Personal Paras.

Mr. S. D. Beggs, of Messrs. John Thornicroft & Co. Ltd., left the Colony by the *s.s. Empress of Canada* yesterday.Mr. G. H. Potts, Chairman of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, was a passenger on the *s.s. Empress of Canada*, which sailed from Hong Kong yesterday.

The forthcoming marriage has been announced of Hector Sullivan, engineer, of 3, Dragons' Terrace, and Ellen Chui of 4, Seac Koon Terrace, Hong Kong.

Professor C. Middleton Smith, of the Hong Kong University, accompanied by Mrs. Middleton Smith, left Hong Kong by the *s.s. Empress of Canada* yesterday.

A marriage has been arranged and will shortly take place between Benjamin M. Thompson, 14, Grosvenor Road, and Irene Duella Oldfield, of "B" Block, 16, Gloucester Road.

TRUTH OF AMERICA'S
GOLD PROBLEMBRITAIN HELD FREE
FROM BLAME

ECONOMIC DRIVE A MYTH

(By the City Editor of the London Evening Standard.)

predict to an extent which will deprive the "Sterlingarian" producers of their advantage over American producers.

"Sterlingaria."

Now there is, let us admit it, such a thing as "Sterlingaria". More's the pity! The pound lost a great advantage when so many other countries tied their currencies to it. Manufacturers would have had the

If we alone had gone off gold, our manufacturers would have had the equivalent of a bounty which would have gone some way towards removing the handicap from which they suffer in the international market levels obtaining in such countries as Czechoslovakia and Japan.

But those countries followed the pound. The Japanese yen, which forsook gold in December, 1931, not only followed it but passed it. The advantage it had obtained at compare with sterling was about 15 per cent. in 1932 and is to-day somewhere in the neighbourhood of 40 per cent.—this in addition to a much lower standard of living among Japanese workers.

It is true that American exports have fallen. So have, during the same period, the exports of Great Britain, Germany, France, Sweden, Holland, Belgium, and for that matter all other countries. British exports to America have fallen since the last gold standard year of the pound, and there is no near prospect of their increase.

This shrinkage of the whole volume of the world exchange of goods and services is due to no conspiracy, but to the fall all over the world of the prices of primary commodities.

There is good reason for saying that this fall directly resulted from the selfish gold policy adopted by France and America during the post-war years.

Further, it must always be remembered that a depreciated currency assists us when we are selling, but works against us when we have to buy. We buy vast quantities of raw materials from America, cotton, tobacco, oil, copper, and so forth, and for all of them we are obliged to pay more since we went off the gold standard.

Indisputable Fact.

As for the famous Exchange Equalisation Fund, it is absurd to suppose that it could be used to maintain the pound permanently at an artificially low level as compared with the dollar.

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BEGGAR BANKS £7
PER MONTH.Gave Surplus Money
To Religious Charity.

Vienna.

Adolf Anders, aged 57 years, was arrested for begging in Vienna's Bond Street, the Kaernfnerstrasse.

At the police station, however, his savings-bank book showed a credit of £100 and the withdrawal of £300 a year ago.

Anders explained that he had lived by begging for 15 years, but that everything over his bare needs went to religious charities. The £300 had gone that way. He added that he was banking £7 a month.

He has now been prosecuted for begging.—Reuter.

16 MEN JUMP
OVERBOARD.

Forcibly Recruited.

Sixteen men who had been impressed into the Chinese Army made a desperate attempt to regain their freedom when they jumped overboard from the U.S. steamer *Tai Yuan*, which left Hong Kong on Wednesday afternoon. One of them died at the Kowloon Hospital from the effects of his jump, others were severely injured.

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£2,200 WANTED FOR DICKEN'S CHURCH.

Chimes Silenced By Death-Watch Pest.

VILLAGERS START DRIVE

London. The death-watch beetle, which has wrought such havoc among the roof beams of innumerable lovely old churches throughout the English countryside, has dealt a heavy blow to the village church at Cobham in Kent—the Church which Charles Dickens, the great novelist, knew so well.

This church must be re-roofed at a cost of £2,200—a large sum for a little village of fewer than 1,000 not-too-wealthy folk.

So the men who were boys when Dickens came to Cobham are rallying the young villagers and Dickens loves the world over to save a literary landmark.

For in this pretty village they still remember Dickens—Dickens of the shrewd yet kindly eyes and the swinging stride along the village street.

Outside Cobham the world remembers Dickens only for those unforgettable figures he wove from his dreams—his Pickwick, his Copperfield, his Micawber and the rest.

But Cobham is proud that it remembers that creator even more vividly than the characters he created. There is Mr. William Pye, for instance, still hearty and still farming at 77, who as a youngster used to have the awe inspiring duty of taking baskets of fruit from his father as a present for "Mr. Dickens." And Dickens used to put him on the head and ask him a score of questions about the farm and the fruit and the animals.

The "Leather Bottle."

Dickens, in those days, lived at Gad's Hill, near Rochester, and he used to walk across Cobham Park to the village and lunch at "The Leather Bottle." American visitors and other Dickensians lunch there still in his memory, and the landlord will show you the chair in which Dickens sat, the same room and prints and hand-painted china lamp by which he wrote and read.

Here to Cobham, too, Dickens brought Mr. Pickwick and his friends on a famous occasion.

For it was to the Leather Bottle, opposite the old church, that Mr. Tracy Tupman fled from the world after he had loved and lost.

Mr. Tupman sought consolation in solitude—together with some roast fowl, ale and other soothing snacks.

Here it was that Mr. Pickwick and the others tracked down the love-lorn Mr. Tupman.

And in the churchyard afterwards; as they paced to and fro together, Mr. Pickwick successfully combated Mr. Tupman's determination henceforth to cut himself off from the world.

Later Mr. Pickwick, in his bedroom, was roused from his philosophical meditations on the situation by the old church clock striking twelve.

And the church chimes which Dickens—and through him Mr. Pickwick—knew so well have now been silenced by the death-watch beetle.—Reuter.

TRUTH OF AMERICA'S GOLD PROBLEM.

(Continued from Page 5.)

Its purpose is to keep the ratio between the two currencies as stable as may be—a thing in itself as much to be desired by Americans as by ourselves. They would not care, any more than we, to see the pound worth three dollars one month and four the next, and never, to know from month to month what it was going to be.

Recently the Fund has been buying gold in order to stem the flight of capital from the dollar. It bought from France and America, at from 118s to 120s an ounce the same gold which not so long ago it sold to them, when we still maintained the gold standard, at 86s! There has been no profit for us in that, except in a steady improvement of the whole situation for the general good.

All these facts are indisputable. But the United States Government has moved in accordance with the trend of American opinion, which has been led to demand that the dollar shall be given the opportunity of sharing the advantages attaching to a depreciated currency.

The question now is how long it will take the Americans to find out that the conspiracy against them never had any real existence, and that what they complain of is the result not of any manipulation of the exchanges, but of the news which we could not avoid, namely, the original abandonment of gold.

PRISON IS HAPPY HAVEN NOW.

Many Deliberately Seek Admission.

Cape Town. Prison is often not a place of punishment but of refuge, according to the annual report of the Department of Prisons.

"It seems certain that under the present difficult economic conditions many persons either carelessly risk or deliberately seek admission to prison as a means of escape from the uncertainties and stresses of life at large."

"In these circumstances it might be advisable for the Courts to consider some means of reducing commitments to prison."

The report also refers to whipping and says: "the whipping effect of strokes, at any rate on natives, has been grossly exaggerated and there is no doubt that whipping is far less harmful than a term of imprisonment which may completely demoralise the person and give him a trend towards a permanent criminal career."

BRITAIN'S FIRST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Bi-Centenary Of Birth Of Founder.

COMMEMORATION SERVICE.

London. A battered old desk, from which a little Methodist spinster taught the Gospel to village children in the first Sunday School many years ago, was used in the service commemorating the bi-centenary of the birth of that spinster.

She was Mistress Hannah Ball and she set up the first Sunday School in her cottage at High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire, in 1769.

In the leaflet giving the form of service was printed a copy of a page from "A Guide to the English Tongue" which Mistress Hannah owned when she was 16 years old. On one of the pages of this book, she wrote in a straggling girlish hand:

"Hannah Ball, her book, August 2, 1748.

To learn to spell.
I sett my Name For to Betray
The Thiefe
Thatt Steele My Book away.

There was a man And som did
call him mad
The maure he cast A way the
maur he had."

Reuter.

SUICIDE WAVE IN JUGOSLAVIA.

Lovers And Students Seek Death.

BELGRADE'S HIGH FIGURE.

Belgrade. A spring wave of suicides is sweeping over Jugoslavia. Many are due to unhappy love affairs. Many more—among students—are due to failure in examinations and bad marks.

A well-known trader of Zagreb has hanged himself because, on New Year's Day, he lost his silver-headed cane. In a letter to his wife he explained that this cane had always brought him luck. When he left it in church things began to go wrong. Without it he thought life would be unbearable.

"Boy scouts are being taught how to use the pole lathe, I believe, and that is an excellent idea. . . . We should encourage the man who will make his own lathe and do all kinds of useful things such as chair legs and repairs for his own home. Machinery is killing such skill, but it should not do so"—Reuter.

INDIA TO LONDON WALK.

British Sergeant's 5,324 Mile Trip.

TEA GIFTS FOR MONARCHS.

Calcutta. A British sergeant, Mr. M. H. Chalmers, has left India for a 5,324 mile walk to London. He expects to average 25 miles a day and arrive there in September, following the overland motor road.

Mr. Chalmers, who has lived in India for many years, never drinks anything but tea. He is so partial to tea that he is having parcels of it sent ahead, waiting for him at stations in Persia, Iraq, Syria, Turkey, Bulgaria, Australia, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Belgium and France.

Sergeant Chalmers, aged 48, is the transportation inspector of the East Indian Railway. He holds the King's Long Service Medal for 35 years' service in the East Indian Railway.

He has had previous experience in long-distance walks, having made the 1,000-mile journey on foot between Rawalpindi and Simla in 1929.

On his march to London he is carrying a kit of 14 pounds, including a tent weighing two pounds.

He wears a semi-military khaki uniform and a sun helmet, and carries a camera.

When he arrives in London he expects to deliver a lantern lecture, showing the photographs of his journey.

He plans to present packages of tea to the Shah of Persia and the King of Iraq.—Reuter.

HANDYMEN GROWING SCARCE.

King Who Was Expert Turner.

PLEA FOR DYING CRAFTS.

London. Handymen are growing scarcer and scarcer. Many people, however, regret the ousting of old English crafts by machinery, and Mr. Alfred W. Marshall, a past-president of the Society of Model and Experimental Engineers, is giving a lecture to the Worshipful Company of Turners to make a plea for the dying crafts of England.

"Sitting in a forest in Buckinghamshire to-day," he said, "are extraordinarily clever chair leg turners, for example, who use the primitive pole lathe such as was used 3,000 years ago by the Persians and Egyptian and Indians.

"At one time, not so long ago, retired Colonels and others—educated men with artistic ability and perhaps some mathematical knowledge—kept very elaborate lathes in their libraries, and did some extremely beautiful and intricate work. Now I am afraid they prefer a car.

"King George III was a very skillful amateur turner, and he could have earned £3 or £4 a week with the ornamental work he did on his lathe.

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Machinery is killing such skill, but it should not do so"—Reuter.

JEWISH REFUGEES IN PARIS.

Only 30 Enter France From Germany.

Paris. Only 30 German Jews, or Communists, have arrived in Paris, where they have taken refuge from Nazi activities, according to figures now issued by the Prefecture of Police. Of those, a small number have been accommodated at the Jewish hostel and the others have gone to lodgings.

It is expected that the greater number of Jewish refugees will make for Austria and Switzerland.—Reuter.

A SHAVE THAT COST £200.

London. A grocer's employee was sent to bank in Brighton with a bag of money containing £200.

On the way he went into a hairdresser's for a shave and put the bag of money by his side. A young man in a grey suit snatched the bag, dashed out of the hairdresser's, fled along the sea front and vanished among the crowd.—Reuter.

OIL STRUCK IN SPAIN.

Madrid. Oil is reported to have been struck near the River Jucar in Chema.

Well are now being sunk to dis-

To-Day's Short Story.

THE CHAIRMENDER

By Guy De Maupassant.

IT was the opening of the shooting-season at the house of the Marquis de Bertrans. Dinner was over; eleven sportsmen, eight ladies, all of them still youthful, and the doctor of the district were seated round the great lighted table, decorated with fruit and flowers. They began to talk of love, and a great discussion ensued, that ever-recurring discussion as to whether true love is possible once only many times.

The doctor smiled. "Indeed, madame, you are not mistaken about one point: that the beloved object was a man. You know him; it was M. Chouquet, the chemist of the town. As for the woman, you know her too. She was the old chairmender who used to come to the castle every year but I will explain myself more clearly."

The enthusiasm of the women had subsided. Their disgusted faces said, "Faugh!" As though it were not meet that love should visit any but refined and distinguished people, alone worthy of the well-bred.

Monday's story will be "The Price of Things," by Foster Wray.

The doctor continued: "Three months ago I was called to the deathbed of this old woman; she had arrived, the evening before, in the cart which was her house, drawn by the wretched hack horse which you have seen, and accompanied by two great black dogs, her friends and guardians. The parish priest was already there; she appointed us her legal executors, and, in order to reveal to us the significance of her last wishes, she told us her life-story. I know of nothing more strange or more touching.

Her father was a chairmen—never lived in a house built on solid earth and her mother also, she had

ground. As a small child she had wandered about in rags, verminous and filthy.

"They stayed on the outskirts of villages. By the hedge-sides they would unharness the cart while the horse grazed and the dog slept, his nose on his paws; and the little one would play about on the grass while the father and mother, under the shade of the elms, by the roadside, would repair all the old seats of the hamlet. There was little conversation in this itinerant dwelling. After the few necessary words to settle who should make the round of the houses crying out the well-known 'Chair to mend,' they would begin to plait the straw, sitting opposite each other or side by side; when the child strayed too far, or tried to make friends with some village urchin, the angry voice of her father would recall her: 'Will you come back, you rascal!'

"They were the only words of affection that she heard. When she grew older she was sent to collect the damaged chair-bottoms; then she would scrape acquaintance here and there with village boys,

and there with village girls, but now it was the parents of her new friends who roughly recalled their offspring: 'Will you come here, scamp? Just let me catch you talking to ragamuffins!'

"Often the little boys would throw stones at her. The coppers given her by ladies she hoarded with care.

"Passing one day through this part of the world when she was eleven years old, she came across the little Chouquet boy, behind the cemetery, crying because a comrade had stolen two sous from him.

These tears on the part of a gentleman's child, one of those whom in her foolish ways mind she had imagined to be always contented and happy, overwhelmed her; she drew near, and when she learnt the cause of his trouble, she poured into his hand all her savings—seven sous—which he naturally took, drying his tears.

"Then, wild with delight, she was emboldened to kiss him. Being absorbed in the contemplation of his money, he made no resistance, and she finding herself neither rebuffed nor beaten, began clasping him in her arms, kissing him heartily, and then running away.

"What price went on in the mind of the wifl! Had she taken fancy to this youngster because he had sacrificed to him his seven sous, or because she had given him her first loving kiss?

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CRICKET COUNTIES 1

SURREY'S YOUNG HOPES

*Shepherd's Absence Will
Be Felt*

ATTACK WILL DEPEND GREATLY
ON MAURICE ALLOM

(By E. W. Stanton.)

FIVE counties stood above the rest in the County Championship in 1932. And the fifth of these was Surrey. It is arguable, of course, that a county holding the position of Surrey, as regards wealth and playing resources, rightfully belongs to the top of the table, and up to a point this is true. Nevertheless, it is undoubtedly disadvantageous, from the point of view of championship aspirations, for them to play at the Oval. The Leyton wicket is almost unfairly easy—Holmes and Sutcliffe should confirm this—Old Trafford is near perfection, and Southampton has been the cause of most of Kennedy's grey hairs. But, day in and day out, none of these probably is quite so merciless to the wretched bowler as the Oval.

Most English wickets, excellent though they may be at the beginning of a match, have worn sufficiently to give an intelligent spin bowler some little assistance by the third day. The normal Oval wicket, on the contrary, retains its pristine quality to the end of a time-limitless Test Match. It is indeed difficult for a decision to be reached in a three-day match at the Oval.

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Nottinghamshire Village School Boasts of Five Test Cricketers

AMONG the meadows of Nottinghamshire is a little village school with a record that challenges any public school in the land.

Children come to it over the fields from the scattered cottages of miners and it has produced no fewer than five all-England cricketers, as well as others who have played for their country.

To Kirby Woodhouse Boys' School came when they were young:

Larwood, now the most talked about cricketer in the world.

Vice, returning with other Test match players from Australia.

Whysall, who died two years ago after a great cricket career.

Hardstaff and Sam Staples.

Australia has had good reason to know every one of them. Probably in the near future Australia will meet Arthur Staples and young Larwood, who are both former pupils of the school.

"Very few elementary schools have a field to play in as we have. We are also tremendously fortunate in being on friendly terms with the Notts County Cricket Club."

To-day Harold Larwood's house on the hill looks down on the pitch. He is being invited to walk down the hill and tell these boys a few things about Test match cricket.

Photographs of the Test match players who have sat in the room are in the schoolroom, and Kirby Woodhouse boys will say to themselves, "We may be only an elementary school at doing sums, but when it comes to cricket we can teach 'em."

"I play with the boys and we started cricket some time ago now, although the football season has not ended. They are so tremendously keen to emulate the feats of Larwood and Vice in Australia on this tour that I think they would like the cricket season to last twelve months in the year."

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Sporting Page

G. B. LABRUM TO MEET H. KEW IN BILLIARDS SEMI-FINAL

G. Lee and R. B. Hamby Are Eliminated At K. C. C.

G. B. Labrum (+60) qualified to meet H. Kew (+10) in the Semi-Final Round of the Kowloon Cricket Club Handicap Billiards Tournament last night.

In the two games played last night Labrum (+60) beat G. Lee (scr.) by 250 to 186, while Kew (+10) beat R. B. Hamby (+30) by 250 to 207.

A Hyde Lay and E. C. Fincher are the two top half semi-finalists.



THE LAST SOCCER GAME OF SEASON

Services v. Chinese To-day.

CHARITY GAME AT VALLEY

THE Hong Kong Football season will officially close this afternoon when the Charity game between the Combined Services and the Combined Chinese, under the auspices of the Football Association, takes place on the Club ground at 4.30 p.m., in aid of the Children's Playing Grounds' Fund.

The Combined services are a very formidable team. They will have the pick of the Navy's halves in Davey, who has skippered the Navy team for the majority of the season; Pardoe, the Interporter as pivot; and Podmore, the Borderers' brilliant left half; thus fielding one of the strongest F. A. half-back trios.

The Service's forwards are also strong. Baldry on the right wing, Usher as his inside, Purkiss as the leader and Ridley and Seal on the left flank, completing a dangerous combination.

Combey, the Artillery 'keeper, will be between the sticks, and will be supported by Allan, also of the Artillery, and Mullane, of the Borderers, who will skipper to-day's team.

I expect the Combined Services to repeat their success in the Governor's Cup.

The Chinese will have Lim Thin-chin in goal, but they will be without the services of Lau Mau at left back.

Hor Chor-yin of the Athletic displaces Tong Kwan at right half, while Leung Wing-shui will be the pivot.

Fung King-cheong will lead the forwards and will be supported on the right flank by Tang Kwong-sum (wing) and Mak Sui-hon, and by Yeung Shul-yick (wing) and Wong Mei-shun on the left flank.

The following are the teams.

Combined Services:—Gnr. Combey (Royal Artillery); Gnr. Allen (Royal Artillery) and L/C Mullane (South Wales Borderers), captain; Marine Davey (Royal Marines), Gnr. Pardoe (Royal Artillery) and Pte. Podmore (South Wales Borderers); Pte. Baldry (Lincolns), L. S. A. Usher (Royal Navy), A. B. Purkiss (Royal Navy), L/C. Ridley (Lincolns), and Gnr. Seal (Royal Artillery).

Reserves:—Pte. Johnson, Pte. Morrison, Cpl. Underwood, Pte. Mathias and Cpl. Duncan (South Wales Borderers); Stoker Reed (Royal Navy), Cpl. Ash, L/C Cork and L/C Harding (Lincolns).

Combined Chinese:—Lim Thin-chin; Leung In-shan; Li Tin-sang; Hor Chor-yin, Leung Wing-shui; Lee Kwok-wai; Tang Kwong-sum; Mak Sui-hon; Fang Kiat-cheong; Wong Mei-shun; and Yeung Shul-yick.

Reserves:—Lei Kwok-wai, Au Kim-fung and Leung Wing-tat.

RACE HANDICAPS

ENTRIES FOR SEVENTH EXTRA MEET

Promising Fields Are Assured.

WOODLAND STAG ENTERED

THE following are the handicaps and entries for the Seventh Extra Race Meeting of the Hong Kong Jockey Club to be staged at the Valley next Saturday:

May Handicap "A" & "B"

Class—1½ Miles.

lb.

Bag & Baggage	158
Cyclamen Bay	145
Gay Crusader	145
King's Bounty	140
King's Justice	143
Sadko	155
Sitting Bull	148
Bright Star	140
Chateau Bay	140
Spotted Butterfly	140
The Tiger	143
Tom	140
Glenegles	150
13 Entries.	
Stonecutters Handicap "C"	
Class—Five Furlongs	
Alexandra Hall	165
Dee	160
Flying Tourist	161
Good Is Good	161
Jack Sharkey	148
Mike	162
Orlando	162
Poplar Hawk	155
Royal Flush	152
Solar Star	152
Stourbridge	145
Street Singer	147
Tenorio	145
Tillicum	153
Widnes	152
15 Entries.	
Brisbane Summer Handicap	
1¼ Miles	
Ration	135
Sunup	158
Canny	130
Tecumseh	140
Woodland Stag	170
City of Brisbane	158
The Raincloud	140
Friar Tuck	150
The Giraffe	148
But After That	135
What's That	140
11 Entries.	
Lama Handicap "D" Class	
1¼ Miles.	
(First Section)	
Adam	159
Amoy	163
Black Rock	148
Burgomaster	145
Double Face	165
Festival Eve	155
Flying Boy	159
Helter Skelter	145
Iron Grey	149
King Salmon	149
King's Parade	161
Mignonette	168
Partnership	149
Powerful King	145
The Crook	145
Valley Hall	140
Wakefield	155
Warrington	168
18 Entries.	
Lama Handicap "D" Class	
1¼ Miles.	
(Second Section)	
Banjolina	160
Britannic Hall	148
Esk	140
Fl-Fa	140
Glen Shee	140
Golly Eyes	140
Jack O'Lantern	145
Jingle	145
King's Company	146
Maria Petra	151
Misleader	145
New King	149
Night Patrol	151
Snappy Eve	140
Sticky-past	145
The Gadwall	158
White Butterfly	140
17 Entries.	
Lantao Handicap "E"	
Class—Six Furlongs	
African Eve	140
Battling Horse	159
Black Velvet	140
Carnation II	146
City of Canton	140
Devon	142
Gold Bridge	140



DAVIS CUP

(Continued from Page 1.)

Earlier Results.
W. Allison (U.S.A.) beat J. Wright 6-2, 7-5, 6-2.

E. Vines (U.S.A.) beat P. Nunn 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.

Germany Winning.

Berlin, To-day.

Germany secured a commanding position against Holland yesterday when Kuhlm, who has replaced Barnes, captured 12 wickets for 158 runs in the course of the match.

Ashdown and Fairservice were partners in a magnificent stand and both players deservedly reached the century mark—the first two for Kent this season.

Displaying all his best strokes Jack Hearne remained undefeated with 146, scored out of 376, in the Middlesex first innings against Gloucester, and, in spite of a good second innings recovery on the part of Gloucester, the home county recorded their second triumph of the season.

Both countries received byes in the First Round.

C. J. Robbins, who, with his wife, holds all the South African titles, encountered little difficulty against Ellmer, but J. V. Kirby, a promising youthful player, was taken to 49 games before he beat Fisher, Switzerland's No. 1 rank in player.

Scores as cabled by Reuter:—

C. J. Robbins (South Africa) beat Ellmer 6-1, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3.

J. V. Kirby (South Africa) beat Fisher 5-7, 6-4, 0-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Italy And Austria Level.

Genoa, To-day.

Italy and Austria are on level terms in their Second Round encounter, Baron de Morpurgo losing to the veteran, Matejka after De Stefani had won the first singles games without the loss of a set.

Scores as cabled by Reuter:—

De Stefani (Italy) beat Artens (Austria) 7-5, 6-2, 6-0.

Matejka (Austria) beat De Morpurgo (Italy) 6-1, 3-6, 8-6, 6-3, 6-3.

14 Entries.

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Three Furlongs

Buy of Calamity; Boukra;

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Grey Dawn; Jimmy; Johnny;

Mountain Rat; Night Shirt; Patch;

Pink Gin; Purity; Salome; Skean

Dhu; Skewball; Griffin; Stable

Secret; The Quail.

All ponies are carrying 168 lbs.

21 Entries.

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FOOD AND HOME ECONOMICS



Parfait Is Sweet Tooth Favourite

Chilled Desserts Are Appropriate For All Extra-Special Events.

Old-fashioned women trusted their instinctive feeling that the way to a man's heart was through his stomach.

Modern women may feel that this is much too simple a formula to be relied upon exclusively. However, there is scarcely a woman who hasn't realized that she usually can get somewhere by catering to a man's sweet tooth!

One particularly toothsome dessert, is pineapple butterscotch parfait.

Pineapple Butterscotch Parfait. One-half cup sugar, one-half cup light brown sugar, 1-2 cup water, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 egg whites 1 teaspoon vanilla extract, 1-2 pint (1 cup) cream (whipped), 1-1/2 cups canned crushed pineapple (drained), 1-1/2 teaspoons granulated gelatin, 1-4 cup cold water or pineapple juice (drained off the pineapple).

Boil the first four ingredients together to 238 degrees F., or until syrup forms a soft ball in cold water. Pour slowly over the beaten egg whites (beaten until stiff) and beat until mixture is cold. Add the vanilla, fold in the whipped cream and the pineapple.

Garnish With Whipped Cream.

Soften the gelatin in cold water or pineapple juice, dissolve over boiling water and add the dissolved gelatin to the mixture. Pour into a refrigerator tray, or chill in a bowl of chipped ice for two hours.

Serve in a sherbet or parfait glasses, with a garnish of whipped cream and maraschino cherries.

CAULIFLOWER SAUCE.

For a real change in the dinner menu, try serving cauliflower cooked whole and topped with a spaghetti sauce. It makes a marvelous main dish for a simple meatless meal.

BARK FOR WALLS.

A new wall "paper," which looks like canvas, is made of honeysuckle bark from Japan. It is used in the natural buff colour, or dyed in other shades, and is best when only half a room is decorated with the bark.

SUGAR FOR FLAVOUR.

Many housewives use a pinch of soda to keep vegetables green in the cooking, but super-housewives use a pinch of sugar instead of soda which not only retains the vegetables fresh colour but adds to the flavour. Keeping the lid off while cooking is also a help.

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London.

Few people are epicures nowadays. Few can afford to be.

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Caviare d'Astrakan a la Russe. Bortsch caucasien. Veloute Royale.

Omlettes Are Not Difficult

Useful Hints.

Many people think that an omelette is difficult to make, but if these hints are remembered, your omlettes will be a success.

Keep a special pan for them—a small aluminium one can be bought very cheaply. Do not beat the eggs separately, or too long. Add a dessert-spoonful of water to each egg—milk is apt to make the omlette stick to the pan. Use about ½ oz. butter to each egg.

Plain Omelette.

To make a plain omlette, break the eggs in a basin, season with salt and pepper and beat well with a fork. Heat a little butter in a frying pan, and when hot pour in the eggs.

When it is creamy and a little solid, let it form a crust on the bottom, shaking the pan to prevent it from sticking. When it is cooked, fold the omlette over in half and serve at once.

Tasty With Cheese.

A cheese omlette is very tasty, and much appreciated by the men folk. While beating the eggs, add a dessert-spoonful of grated cheese for every two eggs, then continue as for a plain omlette.

Small pieces of kidney added to the beaten egg give an omlette a delicious flavour.

HARICOT BEANS.

Soak them for 12 hours, then cook them in the usual way on a slow heat. Half-way through their cooking add some salt, two or three carrots cut in quarters, an onion stuck with cloves, and a bunch, or muslin rag, of thyme, parsley and bayleaf. When they are cooked and drained, mix them with some sliced onion, fried golden, and serve them sprinkled with freshly-chopped parsley.

Shrimp Pattees. Melt 1½ tablespoons butter, add 1½ tablespoons flour, stir until smooth, then pour on ¾ cup cream while stirring constantly until the boiling point is reached, then add ¼ teaspoon each of salt, celery salt, paprika and a pinch of nut-

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Avoid Breakfast Monotony

Plan Meals With New Dishes.

NOURISHMENT IMPORTANCE.

Breakfast perhaps is the most difficult and the most important meal of the day.

It's the most difficult to plan because there seems to be less opportunity for variety. It usually has to be prepared hurriedly and is often eaten at top speed. The dishes should be easy of digestion and at the same time as nourishing as possible.

The principle work of the day is, as a rule, done in the morning. Whether this work is mental or manual, a supply of blood is needed

to give energy to the brain or to the muscles that are exercised. If the breakfast dish has been hard to digest, the stomach competes with brain or brawn for blood supply and either one's work or one's health suffers.

Morning lack of appetite makes breakfast a difficult meal for many persons. While lack of appetite may have several causes, sheer weariness of the monotony of the breakfast menu may be the answer in many instances.

If breakfast menus were planned like the rest of the meals, several days or a week in advance, it would be much easier for the home-maker to get completely away from the hackneyed combinations. The meal should be planned so that a minimum of time is required in its preparation but plenty of time should be allowed for serving and eating. Eating "against time" is not an aid to digestion and may cause serious trouble, particularly for children.

The age, food habits and activities of each person have much to do with the breakfast required. Weather conditions also influence the menu.

With the coming of warm weather, pancakes lose some of their popularity. Heavy cereals and hot muffins can be replaced by lighted cereals and toast. Rice makes a satisfactory cereal for an occasional breakfast. Fresh fish are plentiful and are quickly cooked. Smoked and salted fish always are available and are savory and appetizing.

Most households take fruit for granted on the breakfast menu these days, so the home-maker usually serves it to please individual tastes.

The regular breakfast can be given interest by the introduction of certain salad vegetables. Curly endive, served with bacon, watercress with cured or fresh fish, spinach with poached egg, sliced tomatoes with crisp toast and bacon, breakfast radishes, and carrot straws are a few suggestions for serving vegetables for breakfast.

Peel cucumber, score lengthwise with a fork, cut in half and scoop out seed pod, allow one-half cucumber for each serving. Fill with tuna fish mixture and allow two thin celery stalks for each side of the cucumber—these represent the oars for the boat. Top each boat with a generous portion of fresh mayonnaise. Lemon slices will serve as an additional garnish; they may be sprinkled with paprika.

CUCUMBER BOATS INTERESTING AS WELL AS TASTY.

Two teaspoons of lemon juice added to one small can of tuna fish, blended with one-half cup of ground celery and two tablespoons finely chopped pimento with mayonnaise to moisten will make a delicious filling for cucumber boats. Cucumber boats are very simple to make and are most attractive as well.

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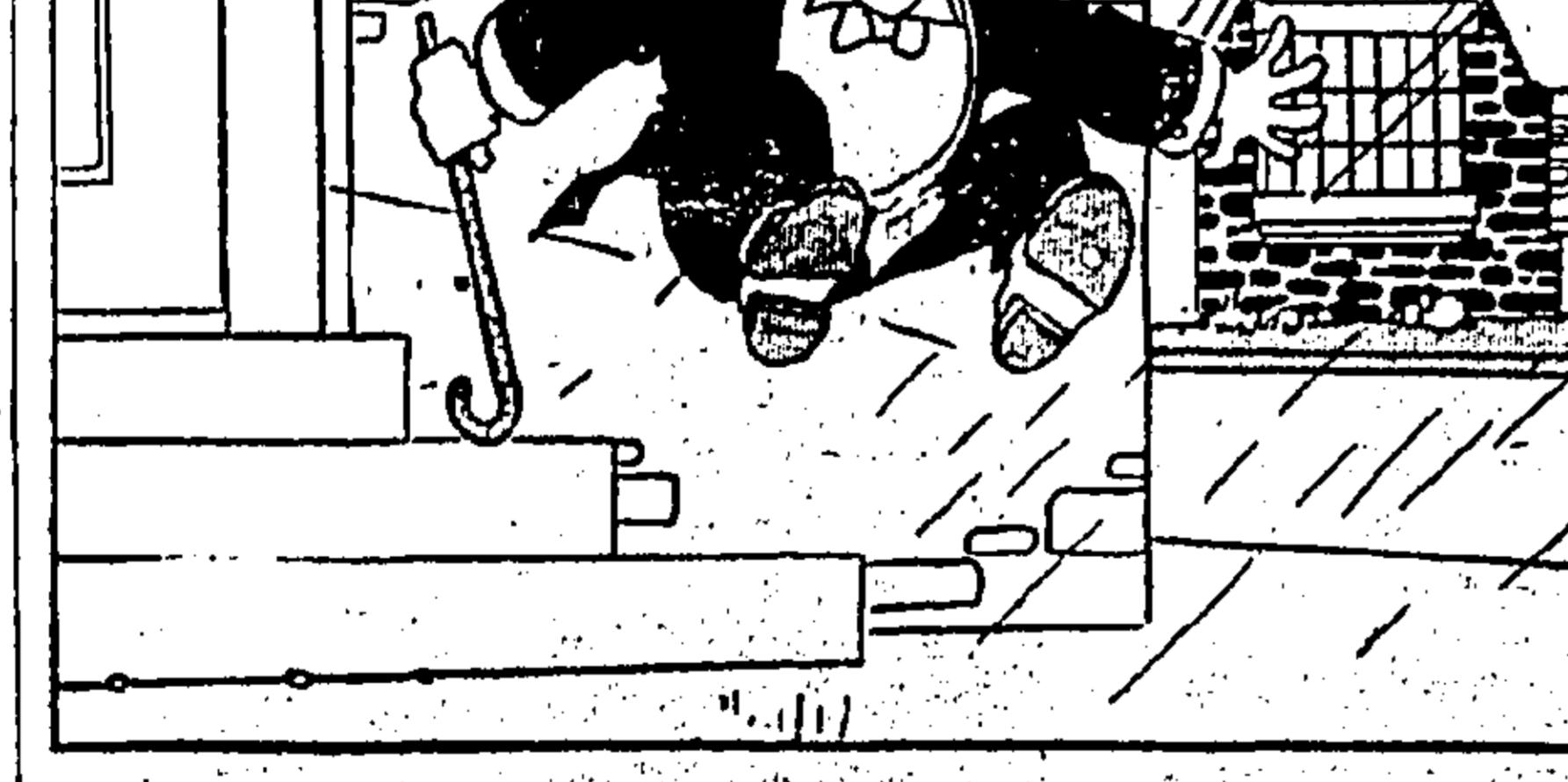
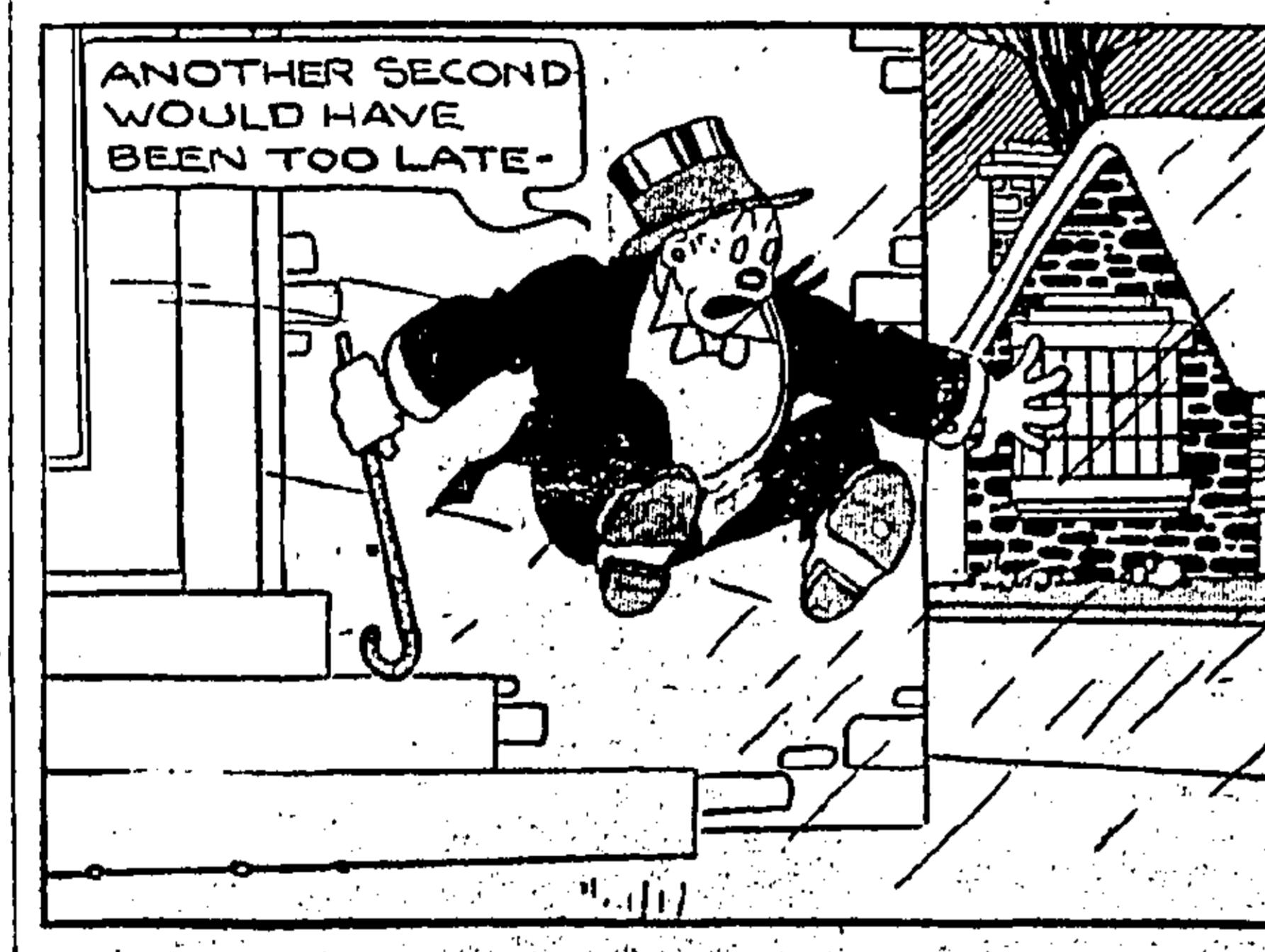
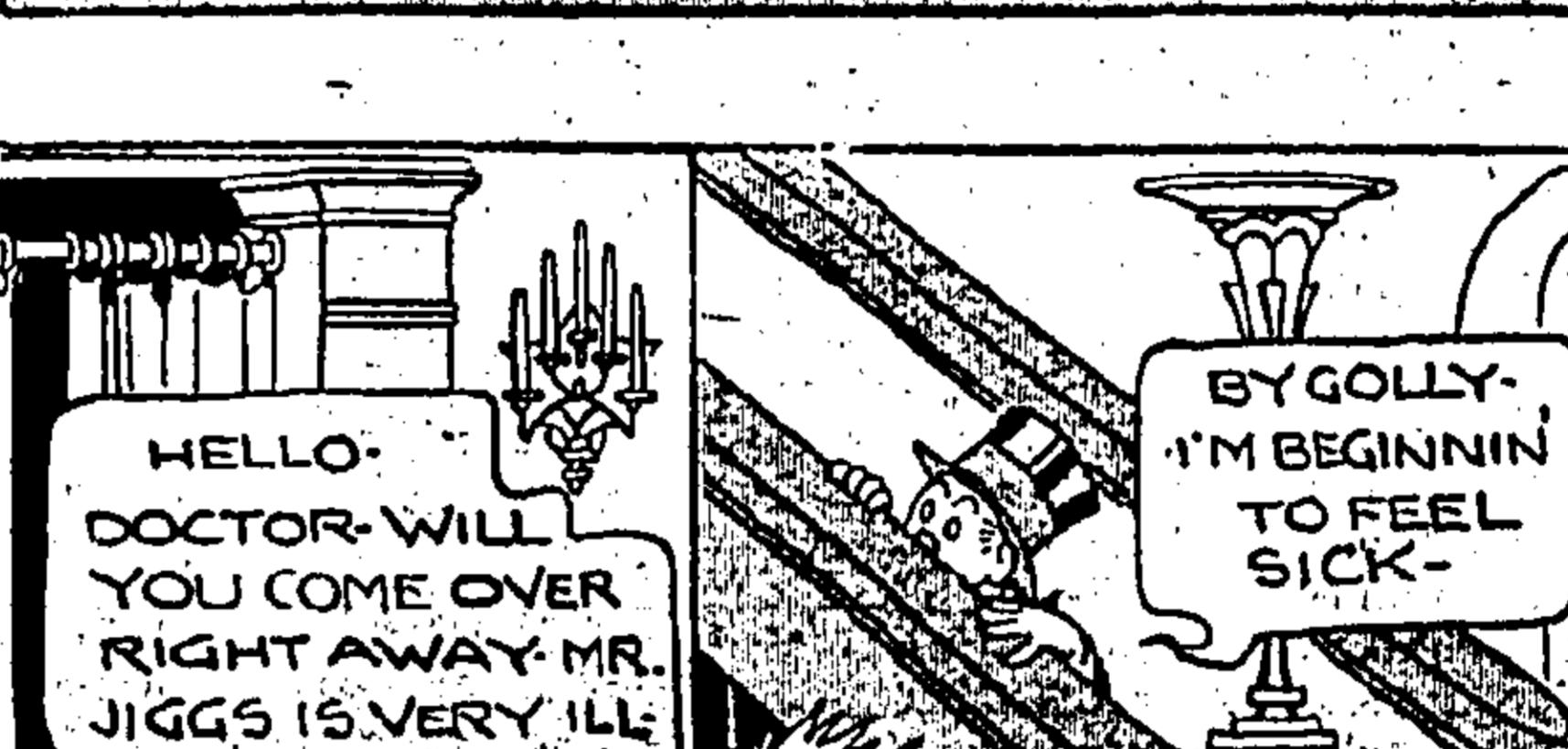
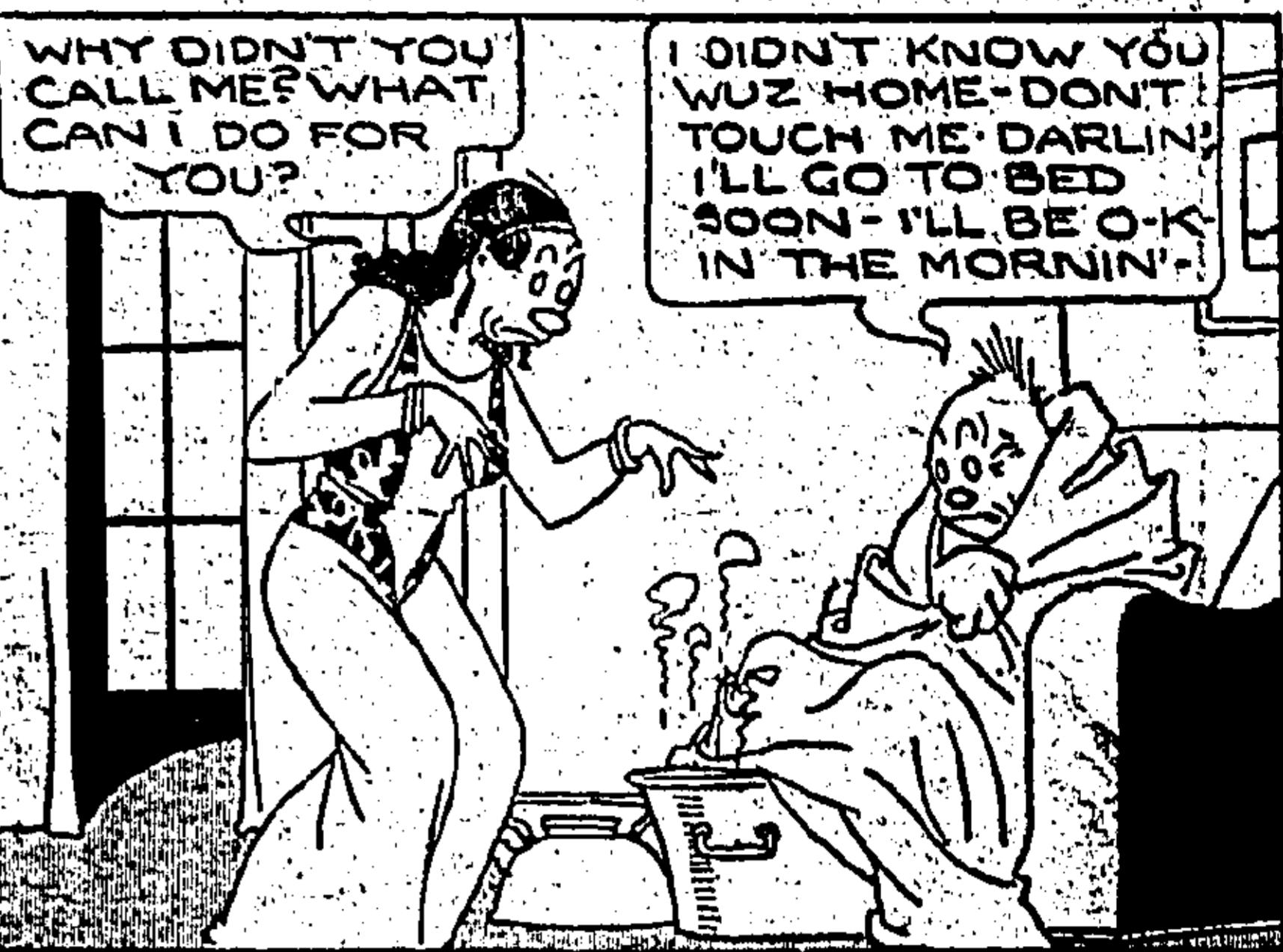
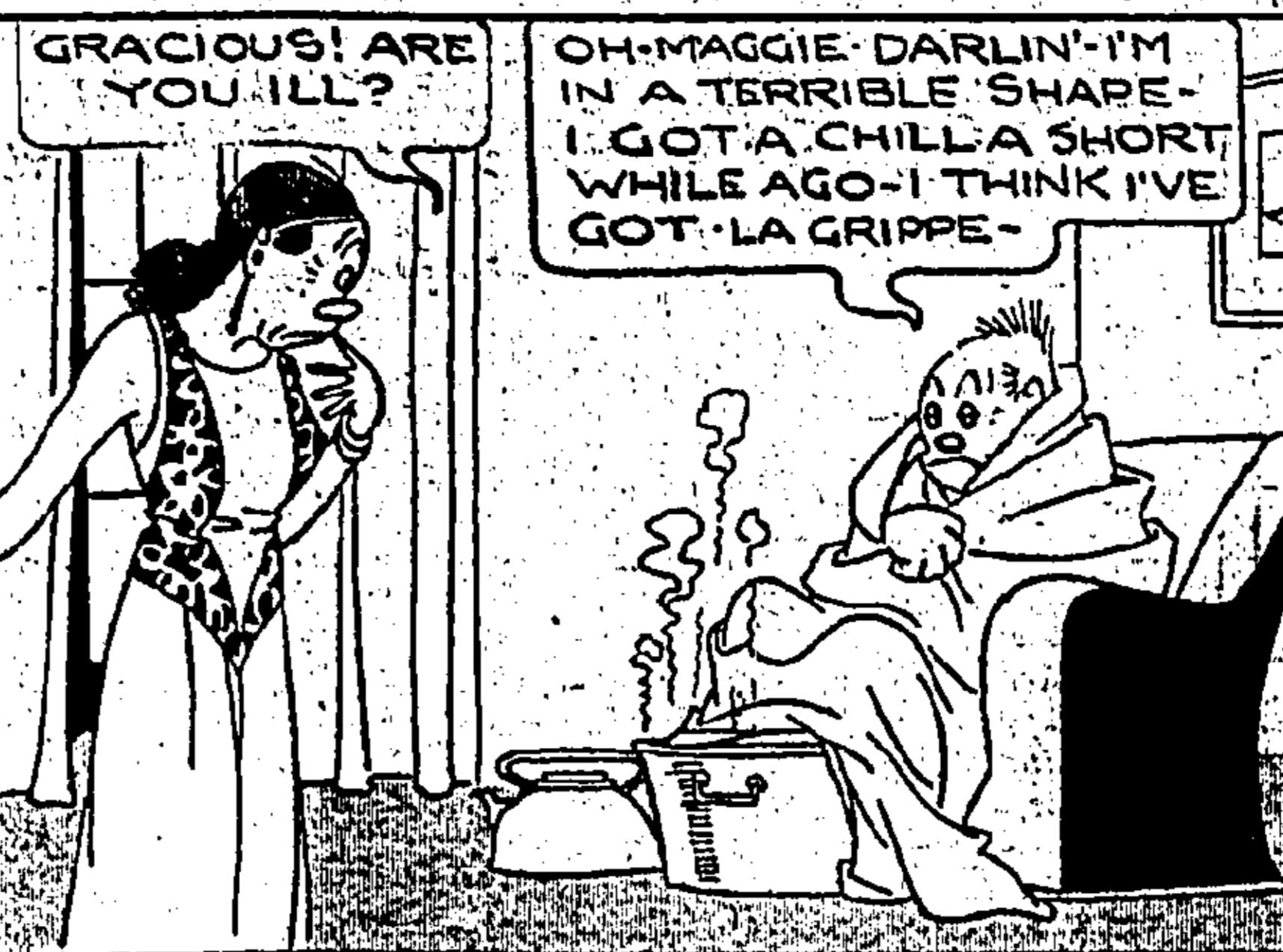
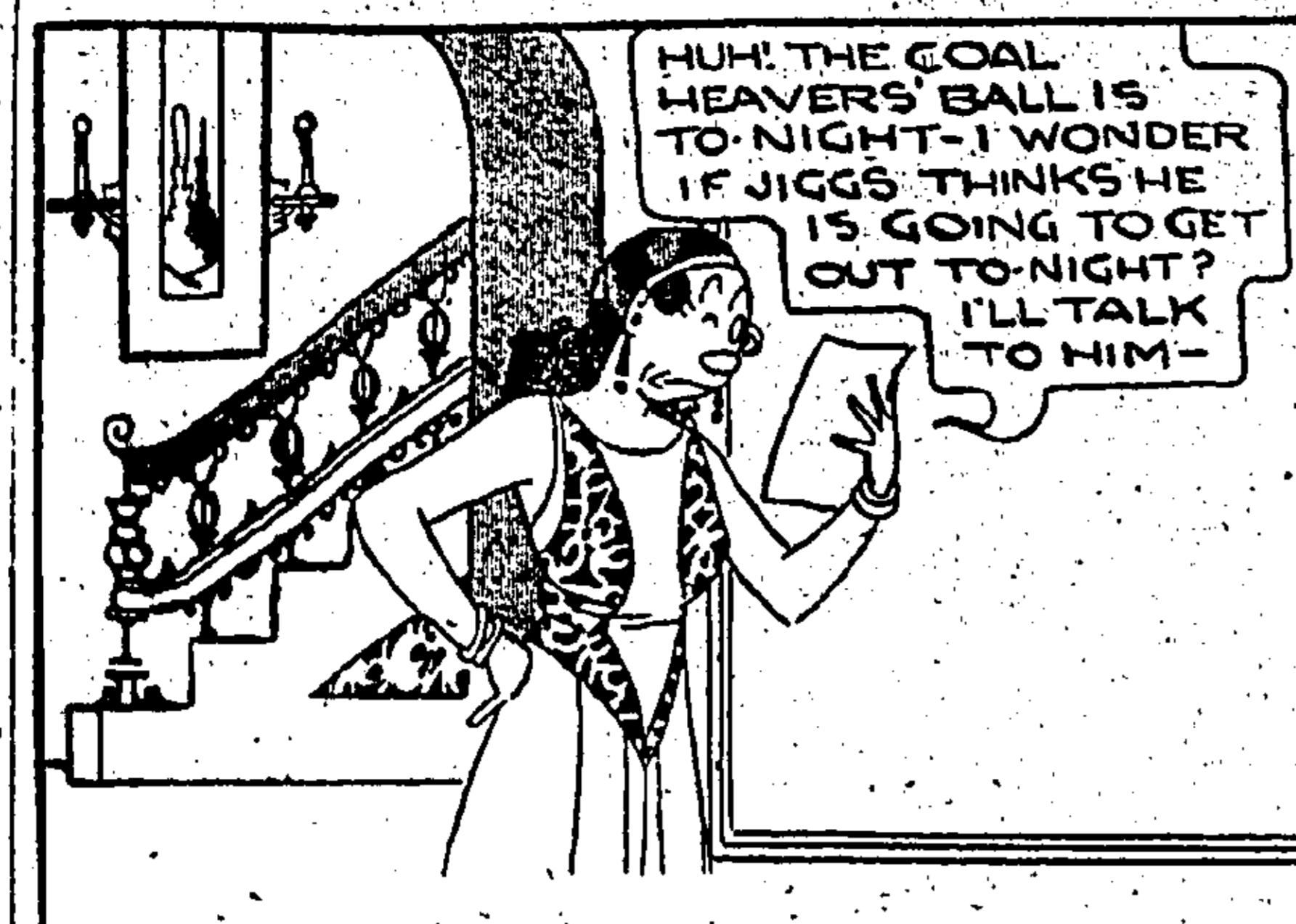
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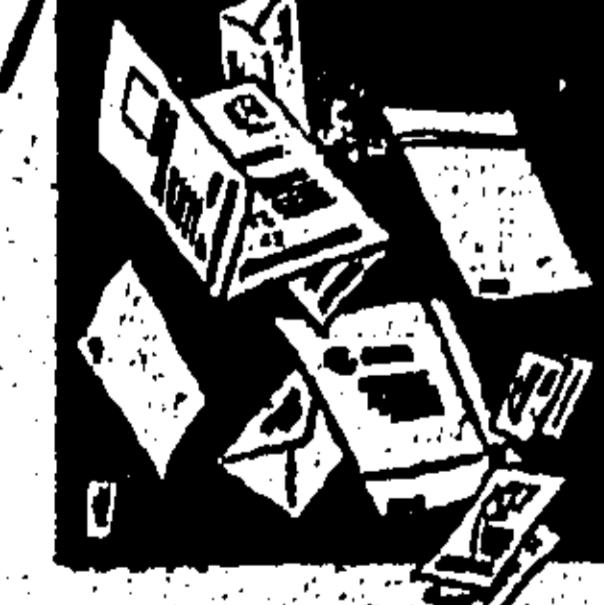
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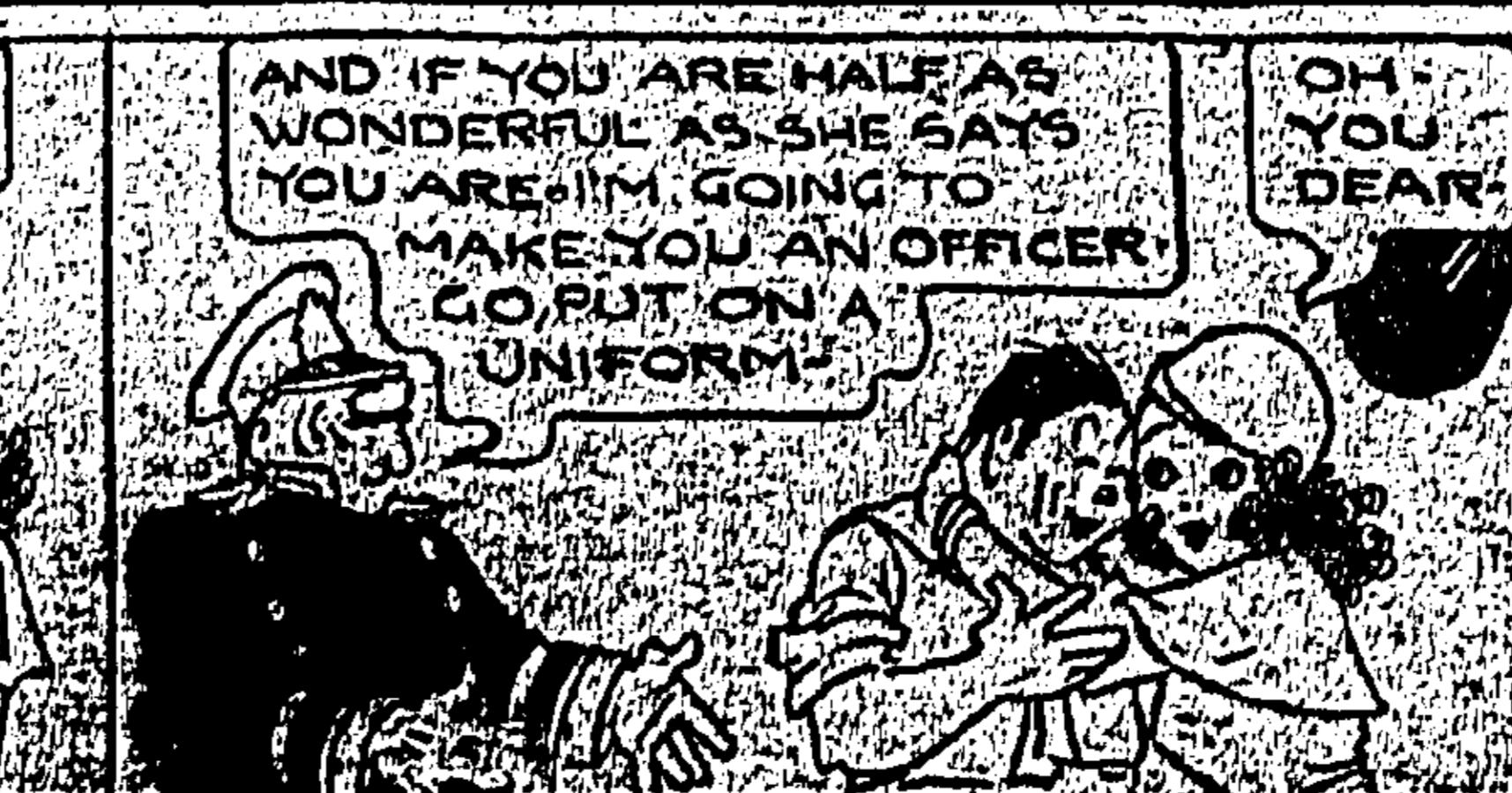
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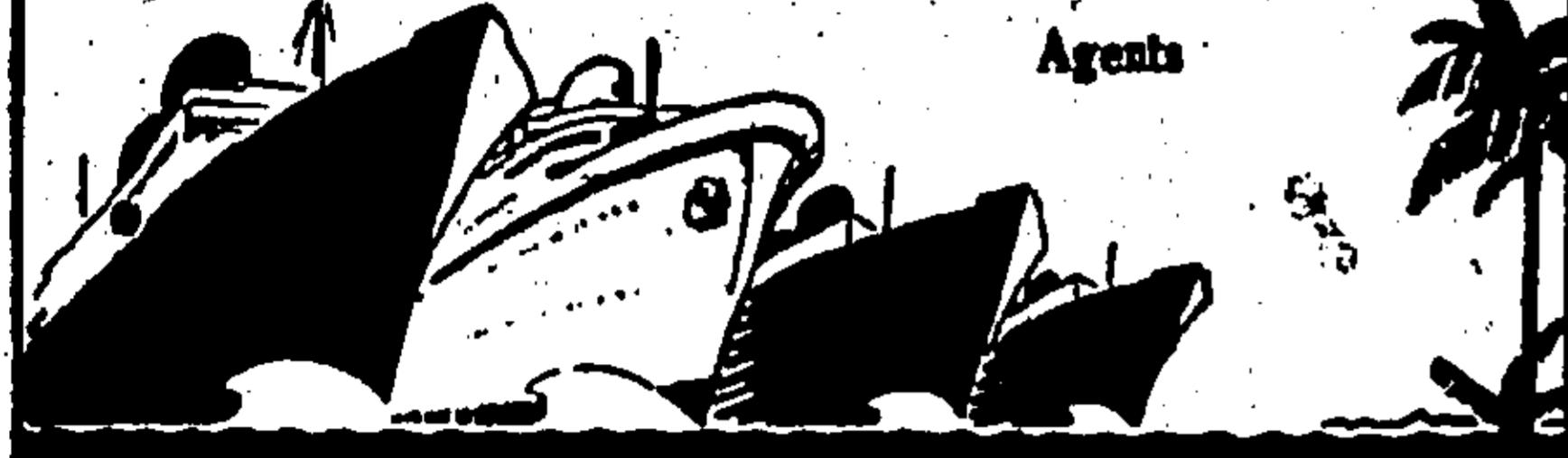
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In view of the fact that the British Empire Fair of 1932 was a great success and the Poultry Section contributed to some extent to that success, I have been asked to again take charge of the Poultry Section under the auspices of Lady Peel, whose entries in this section of the Fair will form quite a feature of the show.

The object of the poultry exhibition is to show farmers in Hong Kong and the New Territories what can be bred locally, thus encouraging them to take up poultry industry which has been so badly neglected in the past.

It is a well known fact that the poultry industry in all the farming centres of the world enjoys a foremost position in trade and to support this statement I will mention that the census taken of hens and chickens in the Dominion of Canada in 1931 showed a total of 61,572,000 heads which at an average value of 60c (Canadian Currency) per head gave a value of \$36,943,200.00 (Canadian Currency). The production of eggs for the same period was 286,882,447 dozen eggs valued at \$49,206,846.00. (Canadian Currency) giving a grand total of \$10,045.00 (Canadian Currency).

The combined value of hens, chickens and eggs in Australia for the year 1931 was £8,904,600 sterling. These figures speak for themselves and must satisfy even the most pessimistic that the poultry industry is one worthy of consideration.

Egg Production.

In the matter of egg production native farmers will learn from experience that it is quite unprofitable to handle birds with small laying records as maintenance expenses would be the same as in the case of good layers. In my opinion a hen whose record during her pullet laying season is below 150 eggs, is not worth bothering about and should be culled out of the flock and be consigned to the market for table purposes. This being the case, it would be the height of folly to contemplate starting a poultry farm with native birds as these are absolute "mongrels" and worthless as layers. Profitable poultry farms must consist of birds scientifically created and bred for the purpose of laying eggs and these birds are now known as "EGG MACHINES." Half way methods are unsatisfactory and economically unprofitable and should not be attempted. Egg-size is also an important factor and I would say that the World Standard is a two-ounce egg.

As regards the method of selling eggs, i.e. price per piece or dozen, I am a strong advocate that it is high time the per dozen system be changed in favour of "WEIGHT". For some days now the 30 coops available for poultry have been taken up, but this should not discourage those who have not yet made reservation as everything possible will be done to accommodate late comers.

Lady Peel's Interest

Lady Peel has very kindly consented to show some of her birds which will be Single Comb White Leghorns specially imported from Australia. Mr. A. Lopes, of Kowloon Tong, will, as last year, exhibit some real good leghorns. English Stock, Tom Barron strain and bred here. Mr. Victor Strejecky, a great lover of poultry and who has exhibited birds in Europe, will have several coops of Barred Plymouth Rock and Black Orpingtons. Mr. R. A. F. Raven has applied for permission to show pigeons and canaries.

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Pigeons And Canaries.

Messrs. Coll R. Logan, Roy A. Pereira, Chan Shun Tsui, C. J. Triggs, C. P. Andrews and Miss Patricia Alves have promised to support the pigeon and canary sections with fine collection of good birds which should decidedly be of much interest.

In conclusion I would state that it appears obvious that no individual effort can possibly make a success of anything. It is expected that all friends will give the Poultry Section all possible assistance and come forward and exhibit what they have, thus doing their bit in a collective effort to secure the success of the British Empire Fair of 1933.

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THE CHAIMENDER

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"For months she dreamed of this corner of the cemetery and of this boy. On the chance of seeing him again she stole from her parents, scraping up a sou here and a sou there, on the chairmander or on the provisions she went to buy. On her return she had two francs in her pocket, but she could only catch a glimpse of the little chemist, looking very clean, behind the windows of his father's shop, between a crimson bowl and a tapeworm specimen. Charmed, excited, enraptured by the splendour of the coloured water and the glittering glass, she loved him all the more dearly.

"A belated drunkard pulled her out and carried her to the chemist's shop. Chouquet's son came downstairs in his dressing-gown to attend to her, and, without appearing to recognise her, took her clothes off, rubbed her, and then said in a hard voice: 'You are mad! You must not play the fool like this. That was sufficient to cure her. He had spoken to her! It made her happy for a long time. He would accept no remuneration for curing her, though she eagerly offered to pay.

"Thus her life passed. She mendicantly dreamt of Chouquet. Every year she had sight of him through his windows: she took to buying small supplies of remedies from him; in this way she could get near him, talk to him, and give him more money.

"As I said at first, she died this spring.

"After telling me all this sad story, she begged me to hand over to him whom she had loved so patiently all the savings of a lifetime, for she had worked solely for him, she said, even going short of food in order to lay by and to make sure that he should think of her, once at least, when she was dead. So she gave me two thousand three hundred and twenty-seven francs. I handed over the money, but I suppose we can hardly refuse." The husband somewhat shamefacedly replied: "We could always buy something for the children with it." I answered drily: "As you wish!" He rejoined: "Oh, well, let's have it, as she asked you to do this; we can always find some means of employing it for some good work."

"I handed over the money, bowed, and went away. The next morning Chouquet came to find me and said brusquely: "That woman has left her cart here. . . . What shall you do with the cart?" "Nothing! Take it if you wish." "Good! That's just what I want. I shall make a shed for my kitchen-garden with it."

"He was going off when I called him back. She left her old horse, and her two dogs as well. Do you want them too?"

"He paused, astonished. "Oh, no, of course not. What should I do with them? Make what use you like of them!" And he laughed. Then he put out his hand, which I shook. "After all, it is not possible for the doctor and the chemist of the same district to be enemies."

"I kept the dogs for myself, and the priest, who has a large yard, took the horse. Chouquet uses the cart as a shed, and he has bought five railway bonds with the money.

"That is the only case of deep love that I have met in my life!"

The doctor was silent.

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North Wall—Otus.
South Wall—Sandwich, Seawell, Osiris.
East Wall—Pandora and Proteus.
North Arm—Witch and Whitshed.
Dock—Orpheus, Olympus and Perseus.
Foreign—U. S. S. Isabel.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Kobe yesterday at 1 p.m., left Kobe yesterday at 8 p.m. and is due at Nagasaki to-day at 7 p.m. She leaves for Shanghai on May 24. The R.M.S. Empress of Russia from Yokohama is due at Hong Kong on May 24. She leaves for Manila the same evening.

meant action. I had no idea what to do, nor what to say, but I had to fulfil my mission, so I went on: "She bade me give you her whole savings, which amount to two thousand three hundred francs. As what I have told you seems very distasteful to you, perhaps the best thing to do would be to give the money to the poor." The man and woman looked at me, transfixed with amazement. I drew the money out of my pocket, a wretched collection of coins of every country and of every mint, gold and coppers mixed. Then I asked: "What is your decision?"

"Madame Chouquet spoke first. "Well, as it was this woman's last wish: . . . I suppose we can hardly refuse." The husband somewhat shamefacedly replied: "We could always buy something for the children with it." I answered drily: "As you wish!" He rejoined: "Oh, well, let's have it, as she asked you to do this; we can always find some means of employing it for some good work."

"I handed over the money, bowed, and went away. The next morning Chouquet came to find me and said brusquely: "That woman has left her cart here. . . . What shall you do with the cart?"

"Nothing! Take it if you wish."

"Good! That's just what I want. I shall make a shed for my kitchen-garden with it."

"He was going off when I called him back. She left her old horse,

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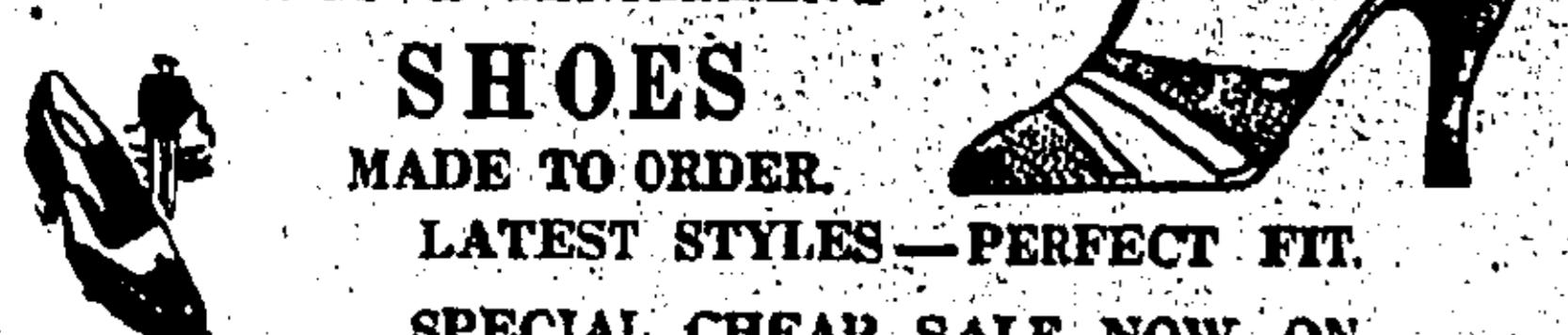
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PIRATES LOSE 5-3

New York, To-day:

The Yankees, yesterday secured
a narrow triumph over the Browns
while Washington Senators and
Cleveland Indians dropped points
in the race for the American
League Championship.

Pittsburgh Pirates lost to Boston,
but their nearest rivals, the Giants
were also nosed out, in spite of
homers by Melville Ott and Mickey
Regan.

Results as cabled by Reuter were
as follow:

National League.

	R. H.	E.
Boston	6	8
Pittsburgh	3	8
New York	7	10
Melville Ott and Regan hit hom- ers.		1
St. Louis	8	14
Game went to 10 innings.		1
Philadelphia	5	16
Chuck Klein hit a homer,		0
Cincinnati	4	8
American League.		2
Chicago	10	17
Washington	1	6

18-9-16 to 18-9-16 this morning,
while forward dropped from 18-9-16
to 18-9-16.

The pound showed a further
weakness in relation to the dollar,
the London or New York cross
rate closing at £—G\$3.88 this

morning, as against £—G\$3.90½
yesterday, while the New York on
London rate, declined from

£—G\$3.90½ yesterday, to £—G\$3.86½ to-day.

The meeting adjourned until to-
day.—British Wireless Service.

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Wheeler And Woolsey
Enjoyed Visit.

Wheeler and Woolsey, the two
comedians who have taken Hong
Kong by storm, left to-day at noon,
by the s.s. Carthage. They have
stated that they enjoyed every
moment of their stay in the Colony,
and hope when they return here in
December, to spend more time with
the many friends they have made
here.

GERMANY ACCEPTS MACDONALD PLAN

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The French delegate, Monsieur
Massigli, said that after Chancellor
Hitler's speech, he interpreted Dr.
Nadolny's remarks as indicating
that a new position had been taken
up by the German delegation, and as
showing that the obstacles which
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